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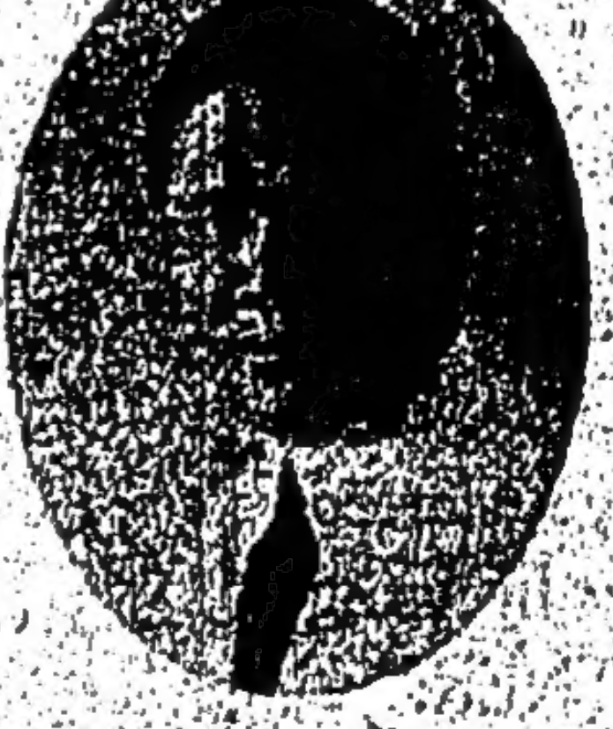

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Mr. E. J. E. Cox, from reserve, has gone second officer, Kweiyang.

Mr. J. McL. Brown, from reserve, has gone second officer, Fatshan.

Mr. D. McG. Holmes, sup'y. second officer, Kweiyang, has gone second officer, Kingyuan.

Mr. J. Jackson, second officer, Kingyuan, is on reserve.

Mr. A. H. Finine, from home leave, has gone chief officer, Anhui.

Mr. C. Winterbottom, second officer, Anhui, has gone second officer, Yingchow.

Mr. R. E. Slwyn Jones, third officer, Anhui, has gone second officer, the same ship.

Mr. G. Wallace, second officer, Yingchow, has gone third officer, Anhui.

Mr. W. H. Angus, second officer, Kweiyang, has gone sup'y. second officer, Yingchow.

Mr. B. L. Butcher, acting chief officer, Fatshan, has gone second officer, Changchow.

Mr. A. Taylor, sup'y. chief officer, Anhui, has gone chief officer, Fatshan.

Capt. R. Allinson, of the Sunning, has gone command, Kiungchow.

Capt. R. H. Fairley, of the Kiungchow, has gone command, Sunning.

Mr. N. Pounder, sup'y. chief officer, Kintang, has gone chief officer, Suiyang.

Mr. E. Williams, chief officer Suiyang, has gone sup'y. chief officer, Kintang.

Mr. M. Koreneff, from home leave has gone second officer, Changsha.

Mr. T. W. Scott, second officer, Changsha, has gone sup'y. second officer, Kintang.

Mr. A. M. Buchanan, second officer, Chungking, has gone sup'y second officer, Kintang.

Mr. W. E. Hargrave, sup'y. second officer, Kintang, has gone second officer, Chungking.

Mr. W. P. Bruce, sup'y. chief officer, Kintang, has gone sup'y. chief officer, Kiating.

Mr. A. MacDonald, third engineer officer, Kweiyang, has gone sup'y. third engineer officer, Changchow.

Mr. G. Winter, sup'y. third engineer officer, Changchow, has gone third engineer officer, Kweiyang.

Mr. J. Will, second engineer officer, from home leave, is reserve sup'y. second engineer officer.

Mr. A. B. Brown, second engineer officer, Fengtien, has gone sup'y. second engineer officer, in transit.

Mr. W. M. Wright, acting second engineer officer, Kintang, has gone acting second engineer officer, Fengtien.

Mr. E. Sweet, second engineer officer, Chengtu, is on short leave.

Mr. A. C. Lemercier, sup'y. second engineer officer, Kintang, has gone second engineer officer, Chengtu.

Mr. J. J. Forster, third engineer officer, Suiyang, has gone third engineer officer, Hsin Peking.

Mr. E. Woods, third engineer officer, Hsin Peking, has gone third engineer officer, Suiyang.

Mr. W. A. Morrison, sup'y. third engineer officer, Hsin Peking, has gone acting third engineer officer, Newchwang.

Mr. W. Scott, from short leave, has gone sup'y. engineer officer, in transit.

Mr. O. Jenssen, chief engineer officer, Whangpu, has gone chief engineer officer, Kiating.

Mr. F. J. Easson, chief engineer officer, Kiating, has gone chief engineer officer, Whangpu.

Mr. G. E. Judge, second engineer officer, Kiating, has gone second engineer officer, Szechuen.

Mr. H. S. Myler, second engineer officer, Szechuen, has gone second engineer officer, Kiating.

Mr. T. T. Armstrong, sup'y. third engineer officer, Kintang, has gone sup'y. third engineer officer, in transit.

(Continued on next Column.)

Mr. J. Daily, master of the Fu Kwang, gone on home leave.

Mr. F. L. Le Boutellier, master of the Hai Kwang, has gone master, Fu Kwang.

Mr. J. O. Langley, has been appointed second officer, Fu Kwang.

Mr. O. Jenssen, chief engineer officer, Whangpu, has signed off.

Mr. A. Houghton, second officer, Luenho, has gone second officer, Hopsang.

Mr. A. J. Piggott, second officer, Hopsang, has gone second officer, Luenho.

Mr. C. A. R. Powell, from leave, has gone third officer and purser, Paowo.

Mr. H. C. Swaine, third engineer officer, Paowo, has gone second engineer officer.

Mr. E. McNab, second engineer Paowo, has gone acting chief engineer officer, Tingang.

Mr. A. McNay, chief engineer officer, Tingsang, has gone chief engineer officer, Changwo.

FRENCH NORTH SEA FLEET.

NAVAL MINISTER'S HINT.

The re-establishment of a French North Sea fleet as a counterbalance to the reconstructed German navy was hinted at by M. Dumont, Minister for the Navy, in a speech at Cherbourg.

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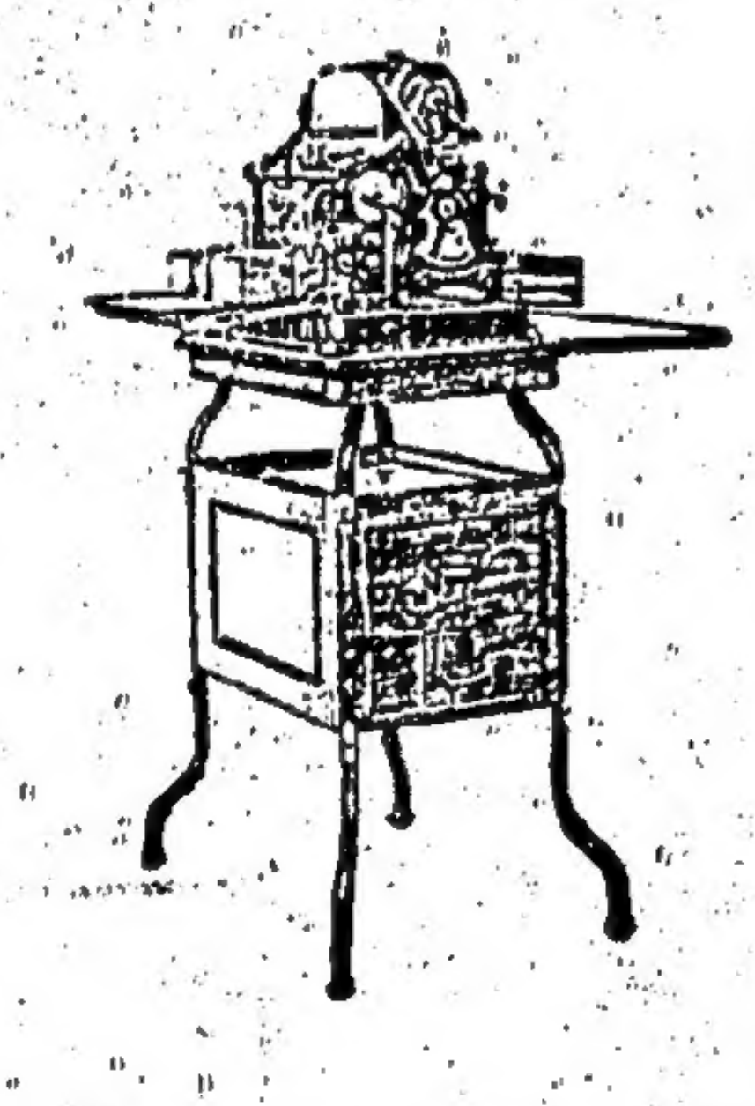

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Sheungshui ....Dep.	7.35	...	9.05	10.14	11.09	12.52	2.10	3.14	...	5.34	6.27	8.32
Shumchun ....Arr	7.41	8.44	9.11	10.20	11.15	12.58	2.16	3.20	4.40	5.40	6.33	8.38
Canton ....Arr.	...	11.32	...	5.40	...	...	...	...	7.28	...	...	...

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Yaumati........................Dep.	8.11	8.55	10.48	..	12.32	3.27	5.14	7.01	...	...
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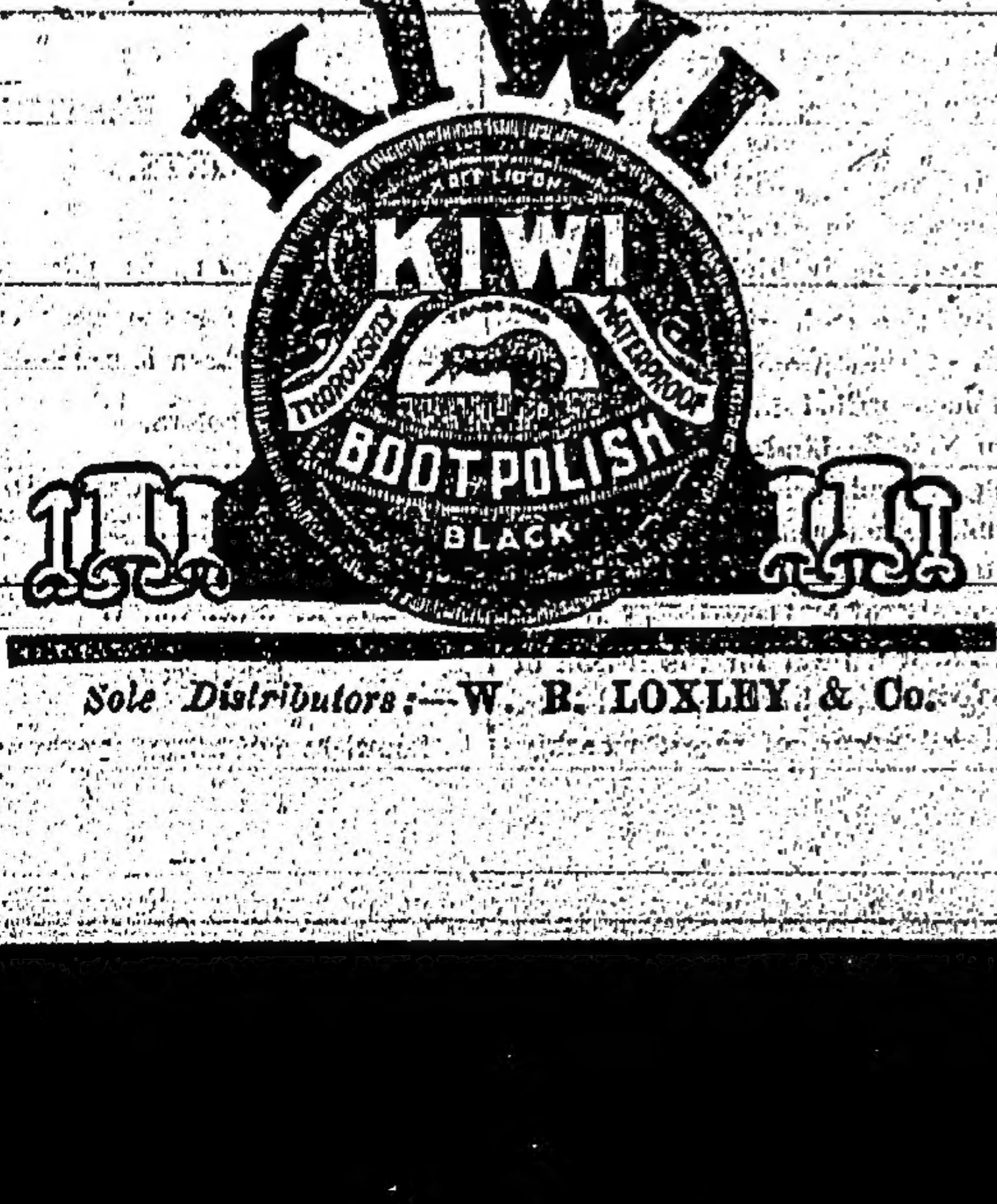

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Hong Kong Cricket Club, annual general meeting.

Reel Club practice, Helena May Institute, 5.15 p.m.

Hong Kong Fencing Club Meet, 5.15 p.m.

Launching of motor vessels at South China Motorship Building and Repairing Works, Ltd., shipyard, To Kwa Wan, 8.45 a.m.

Public Works Department Auction Sale of Crown Land.

Debate at Y.M.C.A. "That Foreign Indictment of American Culture Is Unjustified."

Hockey: Radio Sports Club *v.* Argylls, U.S.R.C. ground.

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European Mail:—Outward: Europe *via* Siberia (Yasukuni Maru) 6 p.m.

Tides:—High at 0.18 and 9.28; Low at 2.57 and 2.46.

TUESDAY.

(October 27.)

Rotary Club Tiffin, Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 1 p.m.

Queen's Theatre: "The Bad One."

World Theatre: "Don Q, Son of Zorro."

Star Theatre: "Dynamite."

King's Theatre: "Women of All Nations."

Central Theatre: "The Vice Squad."

Majestic Theatre: "Up the River."

Dinner Dances at Hong Kong Hotel and Peninsula Hotel.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *via* Marseilles (Sarpedon) 10.30 a.m.; Europe *via* Siberia (Pres. McKinley) 10 a.m.; Europe *via* Marseilles (Athos II.) 2.30 p.m.

Tides:—High at 0.58 and 9.45; Low at 3.35 and 3.09.

WEDNESDAY.

(October 28.)

Meeting of the Ladies Section, Helena May Institute, 11 a.m.

Hockey: Radio Sports Club *v.* H.K.S. Brigade.

Queen's Theatre: "The Bad One."

World Theatre: "Don Q, Son of Zorro."

Star Theatre: "Dynamite."

King's Theatre: "Women of All Nations."

Central Theatre: "The Vice Squad."

Majestic Theatre: "Up the River."

Tea Dance at Lane, Crawford's; Dinner Dances at Peninsula Hotel and Repulse Bay Hotel.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *via* Siberia (Chichibu Maru) 8.30 a.m.

Tides:—High at 10.40 and 10.01; Low at 4.13 and 3.27.

THE TURKISH WOMAN OF TO-DAY.

HAS EMANCIPATION REALLY CHANGED HER?

COMPULSORY MODERNITY BY MUSTAPHA KEMAL PASHA.

Romance still clings to the Turkish woman despite the fact that she has discarded baggy trousers, draperies and the becoming mystery of the veil, writes Marthe Baylis in the London *Morning Post.* We are assured that she no longer reclines for life on sumptuous divans, sipping coffee, eating sweetmeats, toying with cigarettes, amidst a setting appropriate to the Tales of a Thousand and One Nights.

Instead, we are given to understand that she is brighter than the bright young people of London or far more enthusiastically serious than our most active intellectuals and feminists.

Let Turkish women speak for themselves, and to bridge the gap between the bad old days and the miraculous new ones, let us wander through Istamboul, climb five flights of stairs, and meet Saadet Hadidje Hanoum (an assumed name, since it is not always wise to speak one's mind in Turkey), who has known the glories and the tribulations of the one and the promises of the other.

The Great Unknown.

Curled upon a divan is a typically free woman. With typical Turkish hospitality she offers me delicious rahat locoum, a thimbleful of coffee, thick and perfumed as a liqueur, and an enlightening picture of the past:

"Father lived in the Selamlik. Mother was cloistered for life in the Haramlik with the other women. I enjoyed the companionship of many brothers and sisters, a sequence of governesses to teach me English, French, and German, and the joy of roaming at will amidst the shining splendour of Stamboul.

"But happiness was far from eternal," owns Saadet. "At the age of fourteen I was given a horrid veil, a square of black canvas that tinged the whole world with melancholy. Then rumour talked of marriage; families debated on the serious question of the 'mihir' or dowry. One fine day I said the fatal 'yes' from behind a closed door, and lo! I was wedded to the great unknown. My husband, fortunately, turned out to be young and handsome, so that instead of being unhappy I merely became jealous. . . ."

"And apart from that occupation, how did you spend your life?" I ask.

"Rather comfortably," answers Saadet, "since the husbands of long ago ran the house and the servants, and assumed most of the domestic worries. . . . Sometimes a bit dull, however," she yawns, "plenty of embroidery; clothes and jewels the main excitement; babies on a mass production scale; a certain amount of reading but only travel books and detective stories, since novels talk of love and love is for men and marriage for women!"

"Now?" I ask.

"Just the same as before despite the new found freedom. My husband can no longer divorce me by casting me from his presence: I can divorce him but I do not want to; I can roam where I will but I infinitely prefer to stay at home; I don't understand the Swiss Code; I should be embarrassed with a Parliamentary vote—and what is more to the point, most of my friends think and feel the same way. . . ."

Modern Miss Turkey.

Let us fly from her presence: Saadet Hadidje Hanoum is obviously a reactionary. We must seek out not Mrs. Turkey but Miss Turkey.

The modern Turkish girl is to be found in tawdry cosmopolitan Pera rather than in the quiet streets on the other side of the Golden Horn. She is to be seen at lectures, at theatres, at the cinema. But wherever you meet her, whether she is fat or thin, blue-eyed, green-eyed, dark and lustrous eyed, she still wears the same timid and passive countenance and moves as a silent silky shadow.

Here is Ayesha, for instance—a young student embarking on the intricacies of philosophy. She is neither masculine, business-like nor aggressive. She is a slim and charming creature dressed in black and her very movements and expressions exude a gentleness that is altogether appealing:

"You must be working very hard with your examination so close at hand," I sympathise.

"Oh, no . . ." she answers with super-human calm. "I am too busy . . . . but I shall promise the examiner to do the prescribed reading after the exam. if he lets me through!"

The same pleasant fatalism is to be found amongst medical students who hope to qualify some day, or, when qualified, hope to practise some day; amongst free lance journalists who write spasmodically and free of charge on the assumption that fame and fortune suddenly drop from the sky.

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THE TURKISH WOMAN OF TO-DAY.

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So much for Istamboul. However, Mustapha Kemal Pasha swears by Ankara, the very stronghold of energetic modernity. In his immediate entourage we must surely find women of the stamp of Halidee Edib Hanoumi now in exile, apostles ready to disseminate the ideas and reforms of the Ghazi, the hero of Turkish independence and women's freedom.

Forced Reform.

At a first glance, the very site of the new capital confirms our assumption; only the bravest of the brave would accept to live on a deserted plateau 3,000ft. high, scorched by sun and frost, swept by wind. Yet be it in the political or social arena, I find none of the expected sacred fire, none of the proselytising spirit which sends women into the wilderness to preach to their less educated and probably happier brethren.

The ladies of Ankara are willing to shingle their hair, wear the smartest of clothes, play bridge, and attend the weekly thé dansant at the Ankara Palace—a sort of Kemalist rite, an act of faith in modernism—the only explanation of a function attended by Cabinet Ministers who do not seem to have been intended for foxtrotting either by girth or inclination. Although these charming ladies are willing to play with the municipal vote and sit on committees, a man summed up the situation in a nut-shell:

"Our women did not ask for reforms—they were forced upon them!"

Thus in Turkey, if a few frail creatures go in for beauty competitions, if others suffer from the disillusions of freedom, the vast majority still seek a retired life. The Turkish woman, despite her new and less becoming attire, her new and sometimes disappointing pleasures, is unchanged at heart.

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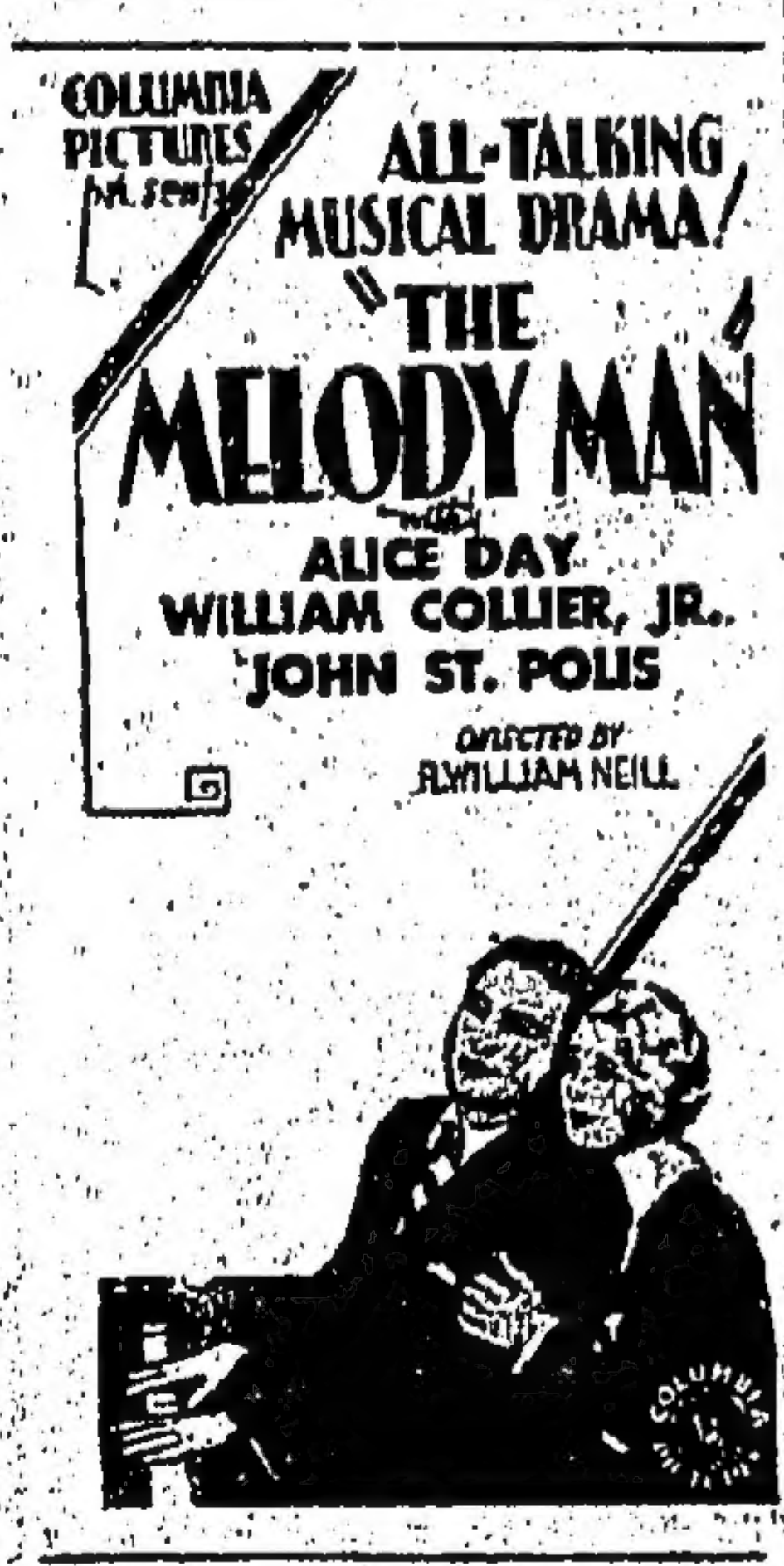
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QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"THE BAD ONE."

Dolores Del Rio's first all-talking picture for United Artists, "The Bad One," Showing at the Queen's Theatre with Edmund Lowe, includes many illustrious film names in its roster of supporting player.

Playing important character *rôles* in a picture replete with strong dramatic characterizations are Don Alvarado, George Fawcett, Ullrich Haupt, Mitchell Lewis, Yola D'Avril, Adrienne d'Ambricourt, Blanche Friderici, Ralph Lewis, Harry Stubbs, John St. Polis, Victor Potel, Raoul Paoli, and Tommy Dugan.

George Fitzmaurice, director of this romantic comedy-drama of the Marseilles waterfront cabarets, presents the delectable Miss Del Rio as a coquettish dancer and singer, while Lowe appears as a sea-going Don Juan.

The director used only thoroughly experienced and time-tried screen performers in this inaugural appearance by the star as a talking picture player. The picture brings Miss Del Rio and Lowe together for the first time since they scored so conspicuous a success in "What Price Glory."

Fitzmaurice contends that the smallest "bits" in talking pictures should be in "the hands and voices" of real, as well as reel, actors and actresses. "One unconvincing performance," he maintained, "no matter it it is only a fleeting glimpse and a few words when the picture is finally assembled, spoils the whole effect. Picture actors with screen personalities who have had voice training

KING'S THEATRE.

"WOMEN OF ALL NATIONS."

While Victor McLaglen and Edmund Lowe are always at loggerheads when they bury their identities to portray those two roistering, fighting leathernecks, "Flagg" and "Quirt, they are in accord that these *rôles* are their favourites and they love to play them. And that the public are in agreement with the two stars is best evidenced by the crowds which are taxing to capacity the King's Theatre, where Raoul Walsh's "Women of All Nations" is now playing.

In this new screen portrayal of the adventures of these two seagoing Don Juans, they love in any language and in any clime, whether it be the tropics, the snow covered Scandinavian countries, the mystic Turkey or the prosaic Brooklyn.

Nordic blondes in Sweden intrigue them as do dusky, raven-haired beauties of the harems. The Brooklyn flappers have a distinctive appeal and their tastes have no limitations physically.

They love and they lose; sometimes "Flagg" gets a big break and sometimes "Quirt," but they are ever battling, chasing, pleading, lying, and they reach the heights of their amours and adventures when they are turned loose in the middle of a Turkish harem. Unlike "What Price Glory" and "The Cock-eyed World," it is a ravishing, gorgeous and genuine blonde who causes their hearts to flutter and their fists to fly, the beautiful Greta Nissen. Other damsels are Fifi Dorsay, Marjorie White, Marion Lessing, Joyce Compton and Ruth Warren, with Bela Lugosi, Humphrey Bogart, Charles Judels and T. Roy Barnes in other supporting *rôles*.

are now more than ever coming into their own."

"The Bad One" is a vigorous comedy-drama of adventure, based on an original story by John Farrow, with locales in the Marseilles cafes and on an island penal institution.

"DISRAELI."

Margaret Mann, the little old character actress who, after years of obscure *rôles* in pictures, suddenly leaped to fame for her wonderful performance as the mother in "Four Sons," is a member of the cast of "Disraeli," George Arliss' starring Vitaphone production for Warner Brothers, which is coming to the Queen's Theatre on Thursday.

She is playing "Queen Victoria," and although the Queen's appearance at No. 10 Downing street to honour Disraeli is one of the most vivid sequences of the picture, Miss Mann does not appear in a close-up, only her entrance in a magnificent long shot being shown. This was done out of respect for Queen Victoria, whose personality is still fresh in the memories of countless thousands who saw her during her remarkable reign.

El Brendel is again featured as "Olsen" the dumb Swedish marine, who caused McLaglen so much trouble in "The Cock-eyed World" with his horse laugh.

"THE CONQUERING HORDE."

The conquest of unknown regions which Columbus achieved in 1492 was rivalled in a good many respects more recently by the pioneers of the south in 1867 when they attempted to establish a trial from Texas to the rail terminus in Kansas.

The first caravan travelling from the southern part or Texas to the middle-western United States faced fearful odds. The terrors of Indians, carpet-baggers, floods and wild animals are described in Emerson Hough's "The Conquering Horde," a Paramount picture starring Richard Arlen, which comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday.

Like Columbus, the first caravan had no guide save the compass and the stars. None had ever been over the trail. Those first few who had attempted it had never returned to tell the story.

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The adaptation from the original Emerson Hough story was written by Grover Jones and William Slavens McNutt, veteran team of talkie story writers.

CENTRAL THEATRE.

"THE VICE SQUAD."

Motion pictures many years ago answered the plea of actors who agreed with Robert Burns: "O wad some power the giftie gie us, to see oursel's as ithers see us." To-day, talking pictures have also satisfied those who paraphrased the famous quotation with a "hear" instead of the "see."

The value thus rendered to actors and actresses is inconceivable on the part of the layman, according to Kay Francis, former stage actress, who is to-day one of the most popular of screen personalities.

"The thrill which comes to a player who first hears his or her voice from the screen can be imagined only by those who have actually experienced this," says the Paramount player, who has the leading *rôle* in "The Vice Squad" with Paul Lukas, at the Central Theatre.

"Likewise, the aid this has given players is almost unbelievable. I have no hesitation in stating that no player has ever heard his first voice from the screen and gone away without some benefit. If they have been with their talents the richer.

"Players used to long to see how they appeared to the audience. Then motion pictures came along and many of these stage stars went into the new medium and learned to their benefit how they looked.

"Then stage players wished for an opportunity to hear themselves. In speaking a line on the stage, one hears his own voice far differently from the manner in which the audience does. You have a sort of mental picture of how you are saying it, which colours your own valuation of the speech. You speak away your own ears, thus losing the true sound.

"Many are the stories of how players have reacted to their voices the first time they heard them. I have heard of cases where the actors stormed in rage and the actresses had hysterics. But slowly they have come to know that they are hearing themselves as others hear them and the wise ones have perfected their own speech from this example from the screen."

LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST HONG KONG.

"Probation after death" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, October 25.

The Golden Text was.—"Verily, verily, I say unto you, The hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God: and they that hear shall live." (John 5; 25.)

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible.—"Jesus saith unto them, Come and dine. And none of the disciples durst ask him, Who art thou? knowing that it was the Lord. Jesus then cometh, and taketh bread, and giveth them, and fish likewise. This is now the third time that Jesus showed himself to his disciples, after that he was risen from the dead." (John 21; 12-14.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.—"This spiritual meeting with our Lord in the dawn of a new light is the morning meal which Christian Scientists commemorate. They bow before Christ, Truth, to receive more of his reappearing and silently to commune with the divine Principle, Love. They celebrate their Lord's victory over death, his probation in the flesh after death, its exemplification of human probation, and his spiritual and final ascension above matter, or the flesh, when he rose out of material sight." (p. 35.)

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TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 355 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.
11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, mail notice, etc.
2 p.m.—Close down.
5 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.
7 to 10.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor records supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Co.
7 p.m.—Stock quotations, mail notice, etc.
7.05 to 7.32 p.m.—

Orchestral.

"Salome's Dance" (Richard Strauss).—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.—7259/7260.
"Japanese Nocturne" (Eichheim).—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orch.—7260.
"Finlandia" (Sibelius).—Royal Albert Hall Orch.—9015.
8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
7.32 to 8.40 p.m.—

A Concert.

Piano Solo—"Etude in D Flat" (Liszt).
Piano Solo—"In the Night" (Schumann).—Harold Bauer.—6828.
Song—"Zemire et Azor—The Warbler" (Gretry).—Galli-Curci (Soprano).—6784.
Violoncello Solo—"Song Without Words, in D" (Mendelssohn).—Pablo Casals.—7193.
Violoncello Solo—(a) "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (Dvorak); (b) "Flight of the Bumble Bee" (Rimsky-Korsakow).—Pablo Casals.—7193.
Song—"Beloved it is Morn" (Hickey-Aylward).
Song—"Ah! Moon of My Delight" (Lehmann).—Richard Crooks (Tenor).—9014.
Instrumental Quartette—"Theme and Variations" (from the Emperor Quartette) (Haydn)—Elman String Quartette.—6634.
Song—"Clair de Lune" (Moonlight) (Szulc).—Dame Nellie Melba (Soprano).—6733.
Violin Solo—"Gypsy Caprice" (Kreisler).
Violin Solo—"Shepherd's Madrigal" (Kreisler).—Fritz Kreisler.—6712.
Song—"When the King Went Forth to War" (Koenemann).—Feodor Chaliapin (Bass).—7199.
Duet for Two Pianos—"Valse" (Arensky).
Duet for Two Pianos—"Impromptu—Rococco" (Schutt).—Harold Bauer-Ossip Gabrilowitsch.—8162.
8.40 to 9.15 p.m.—

Variety.

Chorus—"Happy-Go-Lucky Days."
Chorus—"The Kinky Kids Parade."—The Duncan Sisters.—19987.
Song—"Rocky Mountain Rose."
Song—"Would You Take Me Back Again?"—Johnny Marvin.—22666.
Organ Solo—"Serenade."
Organ Solo—"Indian Love Call"—Jesse Crawford.—22107.
Male Quartette—"Where the Silvery Colorado Wends Its Way."
Male Quartette—"Where the Sunset Turns the Ocean's Blue to Gold.—Peerless Quartette.—19885.
Song—"Moonlight Saving Time."
Song—"Right Now!"—Maurice Chevalier (Baritone).—22723.
9.15 to 9.45 p.m.—

Operatic.

Song—"Faust—The Jewel Song" (Gounod). Elisabeth Rethberg (Soprano). 7179.
Orchestral—"The Valkyrie—Fire Music!" (Wagner).—Symphony Orch.—9006.
Chorus—"Gioconda—Sporting! Feasting!" (Ponchielli).—Metropolitan Opera Chorus.—9334.
Orchestral—"Madame Butterfly" Fantasic (Piccini).—Victor Symphony Orch.—35736.
Song—"Bohemian Girl—The Heart Bow'd Down" (Balfe).—Clarence Whitehill (Baritone).—6732.
9.45 to 10.30 p.m.—"Quartette No. 6 in D Minor" (Schubert). (Death and the Maiden).—Budapest String Quartette.—M-34.
1st Movement—"Allegro."
2nd Movement—"Andante con moto."
3rd Movement—"Scherzo—Allegro molto—Trio."
4th Movement—"Presto."
10.30 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press news.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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LAST WEEK'S ACTIVITIES.

SUNDAY, October 18.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel attended the "Hospital Sunday" service at St. John's Cathedral.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel attended the distribution of the prizes of the annual golf competition at the Shek-O Club. Lady Peel gave away the prizes.

MONDAY, October 19.

At an Investiture held at Government House, His Excellency the Governor invested the following gentlemen with the insignia of their orders:—

Major H. B. L. Dowbiggin received the insignia of Officer of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire; Sergeant Major R. J. Everest, H.K.V.D.C., and Sergeant Major A. E. Taylor, R.A.M.C., that of Member of the Military Division of the same order.

At the same ceremony the Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore and Mr. T. K. Chak received the Badges of a Serving Brother and an Associate Serving Brother of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

TUESDAY, October 20.

His Excellency the Governor held a meeting at Government House to discuss with representatives of the St. John Ambulance Brigade the question of the establishment of a child welfare centre in the New Territories. Lady Peel was present at the meeting.

WEDNESDAY, October 21.

His Excellency the Governor attended the final of the K.O.Y.L.I. Cup at the Hong Kong Polo Club. On behalf of His Excellency the Governor, Captain T. A. H. Coltman, A.D.C., laid wreaths at the Cenotaph and at the Royal Naval Memorial, Wanchai, on the occasion of Trafalgar Day.

THURSDAY, Oct. 22.

His Excellency the Governor presided at the meetings of the Executive and Legislative Councils.

FRIDAY, October 23.

Rear-Admiral Hill, Miss S. Walter and Miss I. Walter arrived at Government House.

His Excellency the Governor received Mr. O'Gorman Anderson on his appointment as Deputy Commissioner in charge of the Chinese Maritime Customs at Hong Kong.

The following dined at Government House: H. E. Major-General Sandilands, Commodore and Mrs. Walker, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Southorn, Hon. Mr., Mrs. and Miss Hallifax, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Creasy, Hon. Mr., Mrs. and Miss Mackie, Captain Reyne, Captain Godfrey, Captain and Mrs. Boddam-Whetham, Captain Bousfield, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, Commander Curtis, Pay. Comdr. Pasmore, Lt. the Hon. R. D. Coleridge, Captain Cameron and Mr. Baskervyle-Glegg.

Rear-Admiral Hill left Government House.

SATURDAY, October 24.

Mr. J. W. Stephenson, retiring Commissioner of Chinese Customs, had an interview with His Excellency the Governor.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel with a small party left Hong Kong on board the "Kau Sing" for a short tour of the eastern waters of the Colony.

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NEW BUILDING REGULATIONS.

REINFORCED CONCRETE STRUCTURES.

The following regulations have been made by the Governor-in Council:

1. The Reinforced Concrete Regulations made by the London County Council under the provisions of section 23 of the London County Council (General Powers) Act, 1909, on the 6th of July, 1915, shall be deemed to be in force in every part of the Colony to which Part III of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, for the time being and from time to time applies, subject to the applicability of such Regulations, and with such modifications as the provisions of the said Ordinance and the circumstances may require or render necessary, and with any modification specially allowed by the Building Authority in any particular case.

2. Every plan hereafter submitted of a building to be constructed wholly or partly of reinforced concrete shall be accompanied by proper and complete calculations relevant to such reinforced concrete, to the satisfaction of the Building Authority, and by a certificate, signed by an authorised architect, in the form in the Schedule to these regulations.

3. Effective supervision shall be exercised in and throughout the construction of every building referred to in regulation 2 of these regulations; and upon the completion of such construction, and in the case of a new building before the grant of the prescribed permit to occupy the building, a certificate that such supervision has been exercised signed by an authorised architect, shall be furnished by him to the Building Authority.

4. These regulations shall come into operation on the First day of January, 1932.

[Under the schedule referred to, the architect is required to certify that the plans and calculations have been prepared under his personal supervision, and that they conform in all respects to the Reinforced Concrete Regulations made by the London County Council on the 6th day of July, 1915, in as far as the same are applicable to this Colony. He has also certify that he has been engaged to attend to the construction including effective supervision in and throughout such construction.]

TIMBER BRIDGES.

ECONOMY IN HIGHWAY COSTS.

Although timber bridges are not used for railway work in England to anything like the extent they are abroad, in view of the pressing need for economy, there seems every reason why some of the smaller bridges contemplated should be built of creosoted wood. A railway engineer with many years of practical experience advocates this course, and says: "In order to get the full life of the structure build strong enough for future loads." It is interesting to note that in order to cut down costs many of the large Trans-atlantic railway companies are replacing a great number of obsolete bridges not with reinforced concrete or steel but with creosoted timber, and highway engineers are following their example wherever possible.

They realise that in employing treated timber they are using a permanent material, and they are fully conversant with the necessity of taking into account all its structural characteristics and not simply its resistance to bending. Mr. W. D. Keeney has told us recently that in the past many engineers have disregarded some of the important details of timber-beam design, particularly bearing and horizontal shear.

Horizontal Shear Stresses.

While the loads encountered in highway traffic are seldom heavy enough to cause crushing failures, they do frequently overstress beams in horizontal shear, and bridge stringers should always be designed to resist shearing stresses developed by the maximum loads considered in highway specifications. In the majority of cases in ordinary trestle design the resistance of stringers to horizontal shear rather than their resistance to bending will be found to be the factor governing their selection.

Failures which have occurred, while usually attributed to bending, have undoubtedly resulted from overstress in horizontal shear, which, though not readily visible, has divided the beam in two and thus substituted for the effective section modulus of the deep beam the greatly less effective moduli of the two beams. While this is a fact generally known to most engineers, there are many, less familiar with wooden highway bridge design, who may not have studied the point.

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(ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COLONEL L. G. BIRD, D.S.O., O.B.E.)

Parades.

Corps Band:—

1.—The Band will attend Band Practice on Monday, October, 26.

2.—The Miniature Range is allotted to the Band on Friday, October 30.

Battery:—

1.—Gunners will parade at Gun Club Hill at 5.40 p.m. on Thursday, October 29.

2.—Signallers will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday 29.

Engineer Company:—

An artillery shoot will take place on November 2 and 24 at Pakshawan.

Members desirous of attending and assisting in running the Lights, are requested to send their names to the O.C. Company as soon as possible for either or both dates.

Details of times and dress will be forwarded to those intending to parade.

Corps Signals:—

Parades at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27, and Friday, October 30, for Signalling Instruction.

Machine Gun Company:—

1.—The Company will parade in mufti at 5.50 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27, for Machine Gun Training as Per Platoon Programme.

2.—The Company will parade in uniform at 5.40 p.m. on Tuesday, November 3, for a lecture by C.S.M. Slattery on "Field Signals and Formations."

Dress: Forage cap, jacket, belt slacks and black boots.

3.—Machine Gun Course Part II. This will be fired by No. 2 Platoon at Stonecutters on Sunday, October 25. Range Officer: 2nd-Lieut. V. C. Branson, M.C. Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8.30 a.m. and Kowloon Police Pier at 8.40 a.m.

4.—Company Dinner.—All members of the Company are reminded that it is their duty to support and attend the Annual Machine Gun Company Dinner at Volunteer Headquarters, on Tuesday, November 3, in uniform at 7.50 p.m. Tickets at $1.50 per head are now obtainable from Platoon Commanders to whom nominal rolls have been sent to facilitate distribution.

5.—Musketry.—The Peak Range is at the disposal of the Machine Gun Company Rifle Club on Sunday, November 1, at 9.30 a.m. Range Officer: Lieut. H. Owen Hughes. The Inter-section Competition will be held on this date. This is the last opportunity this year as the Company will be in Camp on the first Sunday in December.

Scottish Company:—

1.—The Company will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, October 29, and proceeded to Kennedy Road Range for Machine Gun Training.

2.—The Pipers and Drummers will parade at Headquarters at 6 p.m. on Thursday, October 28, for Practice.

3.—All Ranks are reminded that the Company will fire Machine Gun Course Part II. at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, November 8. Details of launch times, etc., will be issued later. A full attendance is expected and all ranks are asked to keep the date open.

4.—Members are again reminded that the Hallow'een Dinner will take place on Saturday, October 31, at 8 p.m.

Portuguese Company:—

1.—The Company will parade at Headquarters on Friday, October 30, at 5.30 p.m. under Platoon arrangements.

All ranks are reminded that the Parades for November 6 and 13 are very important and these dates should be kept open.

2.—Church Parade. King of Kings.

The Company will fall in at Headquarters on Sunday, October 25, at 3.30 p.m. and will proceed to the Cathedral.

Dress: Boots, Puttees, Hosetops, Shorts, Jackets, Helmet and Belt.

The Officer Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their commands:—

I.—Machine Gun Company.
II.—Armoured Car Company.
  i.—Car Section.
  ii.—Motor Cycle Section.

Members of Reserve Co. Allotted to Armoured Car Co.

411 C.S.M. R. W. Lee-Jones.
573 Sergt. V. Goulborn.
188 Sergt. W. H. C. Robson.
505 Corpl. R. A. Wadeson.
924 L/Cpl. S. C. Ho.
865 Pte. J. H. Gelling.
64 Pte. E. Cullen.
839 Pte. T. L. Knight.
542 Pte. W. F. Simmons.
1061 Pte. F. P. Franklin.
658 Pte. A. J. Allison.
770 Pte. T. C. Monaghan.
1734 N. Mathieson.
796 Pte. H. Marriott.

Promotions and Appointments.

L/Cpl. G. G. Stopani-Thomson, No. 7 Platoon, promoted Corporal, with effect from October 22, 1931.

L/Cpl. A. N. Braude, No. 7 Platoon, promoted Corporal, with effect from October 22, 1931.

Pte. A. D. Wylie, No. 7 Platoon, appointed Lance-Corporal, with effect from October 22, 1931.

Pte. T. Cranston, No. 7 Platoon, appointed Lance-Corporal, with effect from October 22, 1931.

Struck Off the Strength.

On Medical Grounds:—No. 1201 Pte. E. D. Oliveira, No. 10 Platoon, as from September 21, 1931.

Transferred to other ports:—No. 1730 Tpr. D. Pike, Machine Gun Troop, as from October 23, 1931; No. 1015 Pte. A. M. Pereira, No. 9 Platoon, as from November 1, 1931.

H.E. the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by Capt. Edward Pigott Minett, T.D., V.D., M.D., D.P.H., D.T.M. & H., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of his Commission in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from September 1, 1931. Authority: C.S.O. 3 in 198/1931.

Strength.

The following have been taken on the Corps Strength:—

No. 1746 Pte. G. W. Stabb, Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, Armoured Car Company, Car Section, as from October 16, 1931.

No. 1747 Pte. T. R. Ingram, Audit Department, Hong Kong, Armoured Car Company, Car Section, as from October 19, 1931.

No. 1748 Tpr. L. G. Robertson, Hong Kong and Shanghai, Machine Gun Troop, as from October 20, 1931.

No. 1749 Tpr. B. P. Massey, Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, Machine Gun Troop, as from October 22, 1931.

No. 1750 Pte. L. B. Smith, Butterfield & Swire, No. 7 Platoon, as from October 22, 1931.

(Signed) W. H. G. GOATER,
Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.

Notice.

Corps Christmas Cards. These cards are now on sale in the Officers' Mess, Sergeants' Mess and Canteen at 50 cents each or $5 per dozen.

After Orders.—Peak Range will be allotted to the Engineer Company on November 8.

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HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS.

EVERTON BEAT THE VILLA BY ONE GOAL: CUP WINNERS DEFEATED.

SIX DRAWN GAMES IN THE SOUTHERN SECTION: SOUTHEND STILL UNBEATEN.

Some close results in the First Division of the English League on Saturday when seven of the games were decided by the margin of one goal. The leading team, Everton, did well in retaining their one goal advantage to the end when they were the guests of Aston Villa. It was a bad day for WestBromwich Albion, the Cup winners, as they lost to Bolton by the only goal of the match and allowed Huddersfield, who had an easy victory against Sunderland, to move up next to the leaders.

Bury, leaders in the Second Division, were forced to share the points, but they are still at the top with Leeds United on level terms. Stoke, Plymouth, Bradford and the Wolves were successful in obtaining the points, and they stand in the same order as the previous week.

Southend drew for the fifth time and are still without defeat. In five other games in the Southern Section, the teams shared the points. In the Northern Section some high scores were returned, Accrington and Wrexham each netting five times while keeping their goal intact.

Motherwell are making great strides in the Scottish League. They beat Cowdenbeath by five goals to one. The Rangers, although they won, are not very prominent in their goal scoring this season. They are five points behind Motherwell with two games in hand, and are in close competition with Celtic behind the leading team.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division I.

Aston Villa	2	Everton	3
Bolton	1	West Brom.	0
Chelsea	1	Blackburn	2
Grimsby	0	Sheffield U.	2
Huddersfield	4	Sunderland	1
Leicester	1	Arsenal	2
Liverpool	3	Blackpool	2
Middlesbro'	2	Birmingham	0
Newcastle	2	Manchester C.	1
Wednesday	3	Derby C.	1
West Ham	2	Portsmouth	1

Division II.

Bradford	1	Barnsley	0
Burnley	2	Bury	2
Charlton	0	Leeds U.	1
Chesterfield	0	Oldham	2
Manchester U.	3	Notts C.	3
Notts Forest	3	Bristol C.	1
Preston N.E.	1	Port Vale	4
Southampton	3	Millwall	1
Stoke	3	Bradford C.	1
Tottenham	0	Plymouth	1
Wolves	2	Swansea	0

Division III. (South).

Bournemouth	0	Gillingham	2
Brighton	2	Reading	0
Bristol R.	2	Exeter	4
Clapton O.	1	Thames	1
Crystal P.	1	Luton	1
Mansfield	2	Northampton	0
Norwich	1	Southend	1
Queen's P.R.	1	Coventry	1
Swindon	2	Fulham	2
Torquay	1	Brentford	1
Watford	3	Cardiff	0

Division III. (North).

Accrington	5	Hartlepools	0
Carlisle	0	Darlington	2
Crewe	4	Halifax	3
Doncaster	1	Gateshead	2
Rochdale	0	Walsall	1
Rotherham	0	Lincoln	1
Southport	1	New Brighton	0
Stockport	0	Chester	0
Tranmere	2	Hull	2
Wrexham	5	Wigan	0
York	1	Barrow	0

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Airdrie	0	St. Mirren	2
Celtic	4	Ayr	2
Cowdenbeath	1	Motherwell	5
Dundee U.	0	Leith	0
Hamilton	1	Rangers	2
Hearts	3	Dundee	1
Kilmarnock	2	Falkirk	1
Morton	0	Clyde	1
Partick	0	Third Lanark	0
Queen's Park	1	Aberdeen	3

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Everton	12	9	0	3	36	21	18
Huddersfield	12	7	3	2	23	14	17
West Brom.	13	7	2	4	25	12	16
Arsenal	12	6	4	2	28	16	16
Wednesday	12	7	1	4	38	29	15
Middlesbro'	12	7	1	4	27	22	15
Sheffield U.	12	6	2	4	21	16	14
Liverpool	12	6	2	4	10	20	14
Aston Villa	10	6	1	3	29	14	13
Birmingham	12	5	3	4	20	19	13
Newcastle	10	6	0	4	21	14	12
Leicester	12	5	2	5	23	21	12
Bolton	12	5	2	5	21	23	12
Sunderland	13	3	5	5	17	19	11
West Ham	12	5	1	6	16	27	11
M'chester C.	13	2	5	6	16	24	9
Blackburn	12	3	3	6	19	28	9
Derby	13	4	1	8	18	29	9
Blackpool	12	3	2	7	16	31	8
Chelsea	12	3	1	8	16	24	7
Grimsby	12	3	1	8	16	30	7
Portsmouth	12	2	2	8	10	24	6

Division II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Bury	12	8	2	2	29	15	18
Leeds	12	8	2	2	22	8	18
Stoke	12	8	1	3	25	11	17
Plymouth	12	7	3	2	26	16	17
Bradford	12	7	2	3	25	14	16
Wolves	11	7	1	3	27	12	15
Notts Forest	11	6	2	4	23	21	14
Oldham	12	5	3	4	20	17	13
S'thampton	12	6	1	5	22	21	13
Port Vale	12	5	3	4	20	22	13
Millwall	12	5	2	5	21	18	12
Notts C.	12	5	2	5	24	26	12
Burnley	11	4	3	4	15	17	11
Swansea	12	5	0	7	21	21	10
M'chester U.	12	3	4	5	17	22	10
Tottenham	12	2	3	6	23	26	9
Preston	12	3	3	6	18	30	9
Bradford C.	12	2	4	6	16	27	8
Chesterfield	11	3	2	6	16	28	8
Barnsley	12	3	2	7	13	23	8
Bristol C.	12	2	1	9	14	28	5
Charlton	12	1	2	8	13	24	4

Division III. (South).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Southend	12	7	5	0	24	10	19
Brentford	12	8	2	2	24	14	18
Watford	12	8	1	3	35	22	17
Fulham	12	7	2	3	30	22	16
Brighton	13	6	4	3	18	15	16
Crystal P.	12	5	5	2	24	17	15
Norwich	12	5	4	3	17	12	14
Coventry	12	6	2	4	29	25	14
Exeter	13	6	1	5	30	27	14
B'nemouth	12	6	2	4	15	25	14
Luton	13	6	1	6	23	19	13
Cardiff	12	5	2	5	22	19	12
Reading	12	4	4	4	16	20	12
Thames	12	2	6	4	13	13	10
Mansfield	12	3	4	5	18	26	10
Torquay	12	3	4	5	20	36	10
N'thampton	13	3	2	8	7	12	8
Clapton	12	3	2	7	13	26	8
Queen's P.R.	12	1	6	5	16	25	8
Bristol R.	12	2	3	7	19	25	7
Swindon	12	3	1	8	16	26	7
Gillingham	12	2	2	8	7	23	6

Division III. (North).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Lincoln	12	10	0	2	28	12	20
Wrexham	13	7	4	2	28	15	18
Southport	13	8	2	3	20	14	18
Gateshead	12	8	1	3	29	13	17
Darlington	12	7	2	3	24	14	16
York	12	7	2	3	20	20	16
Chester	13	5	5	3	23	20	15
Crewe	12	6	2	4	23	17	14
Tranmere	12	6	1	5	31	15	13
Accrington	12	6	1	5	28	27	13
Barrow	12	6	0	6	18	10	12
Hartlepools	13	4	4	5	19	31	12
Hull	12	5	1	6	18	15	11
Stockport	12	4	3	5	13	10	11
Walsall	12	5	1	6	17	18	11
Halifax	12	5	1	6	16	19	11
Doncaster	12	4	1	7	19	28	9
Rotherham	12	3	2	7	18	24	8
Rochdale	12	3	2	7	15	27	8
Carlisle	12	2	3	7	20	27	7
Wigan	12	3	1	8	12	32	7
N. Brighton	12	0	1	11	4	26	1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Motherwell	16	12	3	1	54	16	27
Rangers	14	10	2	2	36	13	22
Celtic	15	8	6	1	43	20	22
Kilmarnock	16	9	4	3	30	20	22
Aberdeen	16	9	3	4	31	22	21
St. Mirren	16	9	1	6	27	22	19
3rd Lanark	15	8	2	5	33	35	18
Hearts	16	7	2	7	21	20	16
Clyde	15	6	4	5	22	22	16
C'denbeath	16	5	4	7	27	41	14
Partick	15	5	3	7	24	25	13
Dundee	15	4	5	6	24	29	13
Queen's Pk	15	5	3	7	21	34	13
Dundee U.	16	4	4	8	19	34	12
Airdrie	16	5	1	9	32	36	11
Hamilton	16	4	3	9	27	33	11
Morton	15	3	4	8	24	28	10
Falkirk	16	3	4	9	25	35	10
Ayr	16	3	4	9	28	42	10
Leith	15	3	2	10	14	42	8

SATURDAY'S RACING

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THE CASH SWEEPS.

LUCKY NUMBERS AT A GLANCE.

The results of the Cash Sweeps drawn on Saturday were as follow:

Race 1.

No.	96	$868.00
,,	232	248.00
,,	414	124.00

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 158, 283, 43, 295, 178, 35, 353, 374, 234, 249.

Race 2.

No.	133	$1,351.00
,,	243	386.00
,,	17	193.00

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 479, 284, 325, 210, 35.

Race 3.

No.	42	$1,813.00
,,	596	518.00
*,,	505	129.50
*,,	60	129.50

Unplaced runner ($50) No. 305.

*—Dead heat.

Race 4.

No.	325	$3,340.40
,,	274	954.40
,,	350	477.20

Unplaced runners of $100 each:—Nos. 97, 448, 318.

Race 5.

No.	5	$2,102.80
,,	261	600.80
,,	378	300.40

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 460, 05, 296, 608.

Race 6.

No.	846	$1,986.00
,,	367	567.60
*,,	749	141.90
*,,	744	141.90

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 693, 330, 690, 277, 444, 666, 264, 308, 298, 381, 348, 213, 700.

Race 7.

No.	338	$2,248.40
,,	757	642.40
,,	667	321.20

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 64, 740.

Race 8.

No.	157	$2,605.40
,,	620	744.40
,,	116	372.20

Unplaced runners of $50 each:—Nos. 328, 38, 87.

'VARSITY HOCKEY CLUB.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Mr. Kwok Siu Lau was elected President of the Hong Kong University Hockey Club on Friday afternoon, when the Club held its annual general meeting which was largely attended.

Mr. K. P. Gan presided.

In his report for 1930-31, the assistant Hon. Secretary (Mr. T. W. Goh) said that the Club had passed through a successful year, and that "colours" had been presented to Messrs. E. H. Ong, W. A. James, A. M. Rodrigues, E. L. Foo, A. Basto, and P. M. N. da Silva. He regretted that the lady-undergraduates had not played any matches, because they had been unable to raise a team. The following had departed:—Messrs. H. E. M. Adams, J. J. Guterres, and A. B. Sulieman, who was Captain (1st XI.), 1930.

The office-bearers for 1931-32 are as follows:—

President—Mr. Kwok Siu Lau.

Vice-Presidents—Messrs. K. P. Gan, A. B. Sulieman, T. E. Yeoh and H. E. M. Adams, and Drs. G. A. C. Herklots and M. B. Osman.

Chairman—Mr. S. C. Ho.

Hon. Sec.—Mr. E. H. Ong.

Capt. (1st XI.)—Mr. O. de Sousa.

Vice-Capt.—Mr. A. M. Rodrigues.

Asst. Hon. Sec.—Mr. C. T. Lau.

Capt. (2nd XI.)—Mr. E. L. Foo.

Vice-Capt.—Mr. T. W. Goh.

Capt. (ladies' team).—Miss H. Takasaki.

Vice-Capt.—Miss Kwok Pui Chee.

Committee members—Messrs. A. Basto, K. M. Ho, E. L. Gosano, O. Candah, D. Roy and R. E. Alvares.

'VARSITY BASKETBALL.

MEDICALS WIN INTER-FACULTY FINAL.

The Hong Kong University inter-Faculty basketball final was played on Friday evening, when the Medical students narrowly defeated the Engineers by 31-27 points. At the end of the first quarter, the score was 10 all; at half time, however, the Engineers led by a few points. The Medical students caught up during the last two quarters, and when the final whistle was blown, they were only four points ahead of their opponents. On the whole the game was fast and keenly-contested.

The teams were:—

Medicals: T. K. Lieu, Seto Eng Kee, F. Y. Khoo, Yang Ke, H. N. Lee, F. S. Fernando, and Y. T. Lieu.

Engineers: Y. C. Cham, L. A. Oppenheim, H. O. Ow-Yang, K. M. Lo, K. W. Phoon, S. Bercovitch, and P. L. Tan.

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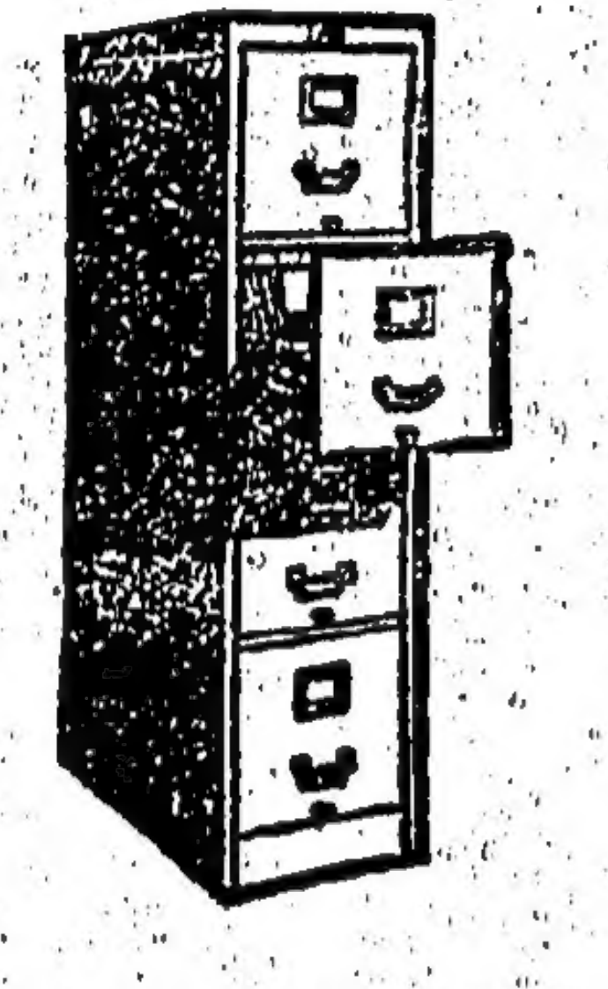

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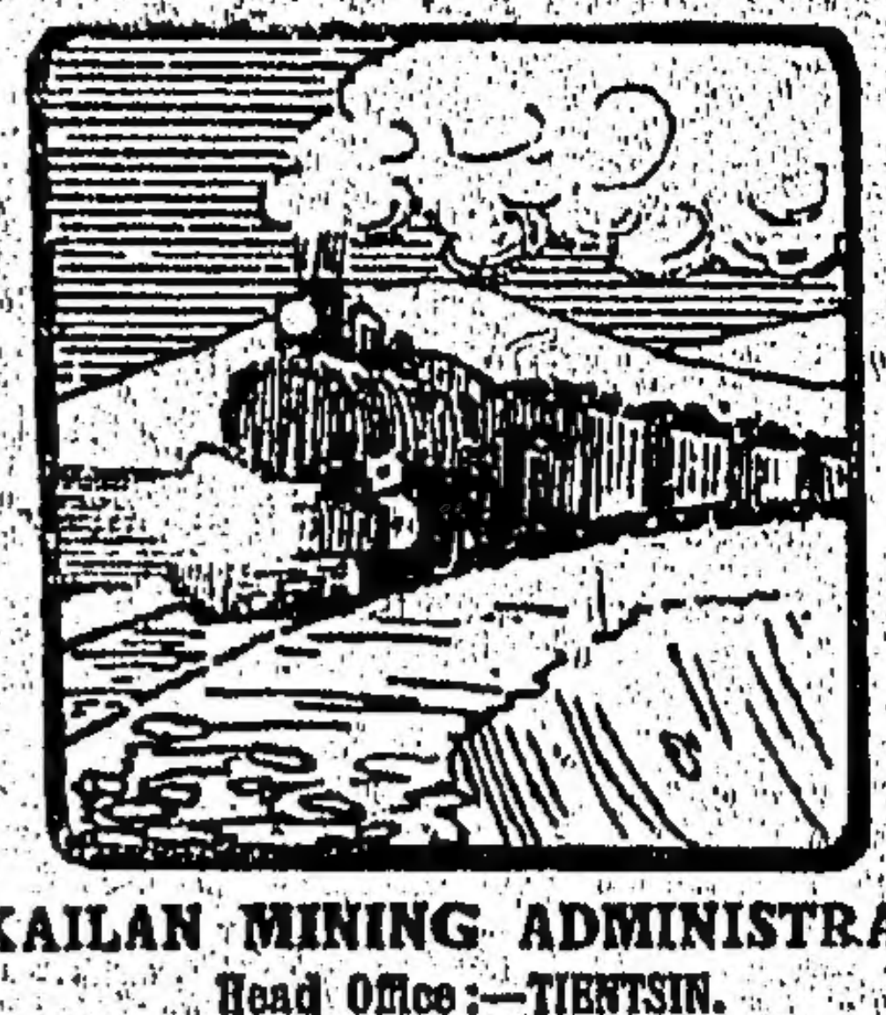

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DAY OF SURPRISES AT THE RACES.

GOOD DAY WINS NOVICE RACE TO PAY $506 TO LUCKY PUNTERS.

BOXING EVE IN GREAT FORM: WINS MILE AND QUARTER RACE FROM KING'S COLOUR.

[By "MORNING DEW."]

Glorious weather, a good attendance, big fields, thrilling finishes and some big dividends all helped to make the Tenth Extra Race Meeting on Saturday at Happy Valley an outstanding success.

The racing opened with a success by an outsider which paid 12 to 1. The second race saw another 12 to 1 outsider romp home. In the third race the favourite was again well beaten. Then came the Aggregate which was a gift to Valorous and which gave Mr. Pan his one and only win of the day.

In the event for griffins, Nippy accounted for a big favourite in Gold Key, while a dividend of no less than $506 was paid out to the lucky holders of tickets on Good Day, which won the Novices Race. In the seventh race the favourite, Royal Flush, was badly trounced but followers of form came back into their own when Eros, carrying the bulk of the betting, landed home to win by a head from Sanction.

FASTEST SIX FURLONGS RACE RUN.

The opening race on the programme fell to Brown Eyes ridden by Mr. Y. T. Fung. The favourite, Celerity and Movanagher, failed to get places in this race and consequently not only the winning dividend, but also the dividend paid out on placed ponies were quite attractive. Sans Souci took second place with Sunny Day coming in a close third. Mr. Fung kept his mount among the leaders all the way and brought it out in the straight for a big effort. Sunny Day came along with a big burst of speed in the last furlong, but could not find an opening.

Record Equalled.

The fastest six furlongs race seen in Hong Kong was run on Saturday when Pegasus equalled Woodland Stag's record of 1 minute 25 seconds for the six furlongs.

St. Moritz was the big favourite here and it went to the front with Thunderclap on the rising of the gate. For half a mile the two kept together with the rest of the field all bunched up within two lengths of them. Thunderclap had had enough by the time the field entered the straight, but at this stage, both Fritz and Pegasus left the rear bunch to make up on the leader. St. Moritz held his own under a hundred yards from home, when Mr. Caplan applied the whip to Pegasus and got an immediate response to enable him to win by a length and a half. Fritz was two and a half lengths behind St. Moritz.

Caplan Again Wins.

Mr. Caplan won a second time when he took Lobster Bay out in the mile race and won from The Tiger with Christmas Frolic and Crown Prince dead-heating for third. The Grouse, the only other starter in the race, was unplaced.

The race was run in fast time, Christmas Frolic and The Tiger doing the pacemaking. The Tiger led into the straight by two lengths, but found Lobster Bay's last quarter too big a proposition to contend with. Mr. Caplan took the grey to the front just after turning into the straight and had no difficulty in getting in front of The Tiger and staying there.

The favourite, Crown Prince, could not come up in the straight although he was lying in a very handy position at the village bend.

Gift to Valorous.

With only six starters in the Aggregate Stakes, Valorous was made a big favourite and he won as he liked. Coronation Eve which commanded a few hundred tickets, was left at the start and had to be content with trailing the field the whole way round. Valorous won by six lengths from King's Counsel who was only half a length in front of Zorhan. Orlando was a very good fourth.

Good Riding.

Nippy registered the excellent time (for him) of 2 minutes 37.1 seconds for the mile and a quarter. In doing so he accounted for Wonderful Stag and Gold Key. The last named was made the favourite with Nippy second in demand. Daylight Eve was next in the public's fancy and Wonderful Stag, Spey, Britannic Hall and The Plover followed in that order.

Gold Key led at the start, but there was very little in the race until the Rock was reached when Mr. Proulx brought Wonderful Stag to the front to lead by two lengths into the straight. Meanwhile Nippy drew level with Gold Key and went on in the straight to pick up on Wonderful Stag. A thrilling fight to the finish was then witnessed in which Mr. Ip Kui Ying on Nippy got the better of Wonderful Stag by a short head. Gold Key took third place three lengths behind.

Paddock Plate.

The field of seventeen got away to a very even start, but on reaching the Golf Club, wild scrambling for position was seen. There was nothing in the race until the straight was reached when Thunderous Stag, Good Day, Grey Dawn and Wise Stag were prominent. A very good race up the straight resulted in Good Day passing the post half a length in front of Thunderous Stag with Wise Stag and Grey Dawn dead-heating for second place half a length behind the second pony.

Boxing Eve.

Boxing Eve showed punters that he is still a big factor in local racing when he outstripped both King's Colour and Royal Flush in a mile and a quarter race in which he was carrying top weight. Mr. Charles, who rode the winner, was content to remain with the field over the first quarter, but thenceforward sent his mount to the front to finish the last mile in 2 minutes 2.4 seconds. The first quarter was just a fraction under 34, which shows how well-timed Mr. Charles' run on Boxing Eve turned out to be. King's Colour made a very big and creditable effort to beat Boxing Eve, but had to go under by two lengths.

Eros, well backed to win the last race, just did it by a head, winning from Sanction, who was again a head in front of Paul Pry. Ataman was second favourite; he made a good run over the first half mile and then appeared to be beaten by the distance. Sanction and Paul Pry joined issued with Eros in the straight and a close finish saw the ponies pass the post with Eros slightly in front.

THE RESULTS.

1.—Bonham Handicap (D2 Class): Six Furlongs.

For China ponies—"D2" Class. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $350; 2nd prize $150; 3rd prize $75.

Dr. S. To Wong's Brown Eyes, 140 lbs......(Mr. Y. T. Fung) 1
Messrs. Lo and Liang's Sans Souci, 140 lbs (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 2
Messrs. Chau and Chau's Sunny Day, 155 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran:—Bright Eve, 165 lbs. (Mr. Yue Shun Wa); Celerity, 160 lbs. (Mr. Harriman); Choctow II., 155 lbs. (Mr. Fischer); Flornotta, 160 lbs. (Mr. Caplan); Happy Choice, 145 lbs. (Mr. Proulx); Jester, 141 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan); Movanagher, 148 lbs. (Mr. A. W. da Roza); Sonny Boy, 165 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Lee); The Turbot, 140 lbs. (Mr. S. Y. Liang); Tom Thumb, 140 lbs. (Mr. H. A. de Botelho).

Time: 1 min. 36.4-5 secs.

Won by half a length; the same between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $64.90.
Places: 1st, $21.30; 2nd, $10.50; 3rd, $13.60.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Celerity	385	520
Movanagher	374	787
Sunny Day	286	354
Happy Choice	153	171
Flornotta	133	128
Brown Eyes	120	187
Jester	107	178
Choctow II.	105	105
Sans Souci	91	200
Sonny Boy	79	85
The Turbot	9	18
Tom Thumb	8	26
Bright Eyes	4	8

2.—Queensland Handicap: Six Furlongs.

For Australian ponies which have not won more than $1,000 in stakes. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $500; 2nd prize $300; 3rd prize $200.

Dr. J. C. Macgown's Pegasus, 152 lbs...........(Mr. Caplan) 1
Mr. C. Gordon Mackie's St. Moritz, 155 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 2
Mr. W. T. Stanton's Fritz, 165 lbs. ....(Mr. Stanton) 3

Also ran:—Caulfield, 140 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Floretta, 140 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying); Moon Star, 161 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan); The Bustard, 151 lbs. (Mr. R. Corbett); Thunderclap, 154 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza).

Time: 1 min. 25 secs.

Won by one and a half lengths; two lengths and a half between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $64.50.
Places: 1st, $15.90; 2nd, $7.50; 3rd, $13.30.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
St. Moritz	909	865
Moon Star	516	826
Thunderclap	430	554
Fritz	228	260
Pegasus	163	199
Caulfield	40	98
Floretta	34	69
The Bustard	21	56

3.—Bonham Handicap: One Mile.

For China ponies—"B2" Class. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $450; 2nd prize $250; 3rd prize $150.

Mr. A. A. R. Botelho's Lobster Bay, 148 lbs....(Mr. Caplan) 1
Messrs. Tester and Abraham's The Tiger, 150 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) 2
Mr. W. T. Stanton's Christmas Frolic, 151 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 3*
Prince's Crown Prince, 143 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3*

Also ran:—The Grouse, 153 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza).

Time: 2 mins. 04.1-5 secs.

Won by one and a half lengths; two lengths between second and third.

*—Dead heat.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $32.70.
Places: 1st, $14; 2nd, $14.70.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Crown Prince	1,324	1,223
The Tiger	549	411
Lobster Bay	397	442
The Grouse	358	378
Christmas Frolic	262	270

4.—Sixth New Aggregate Stakes: One Mile.

Value $750. For all China ponies. Winners of $5,000 or more in stakes anywhere since January 1, 1931, weight for inches as per scale; of $4,000 to $4,999, 3 lbs. allowance; of $3,000 to $3,999, 5 lbs. allowance; of less than $3,000, 7 lbs. allowance. The stakes will be run for six times, or as decided by the Stewards. At the end the season an additional sum of $2,000 will be devided between the ponies scoring most marks in the races for the stakes during the season in the proportion of first, 70 per cent., second, 20 per cent., and third 10 per cent. of the added money so far as is consistent with ties. Marks to count 4 for a win, 2 for a second and 1 for a third in each race. The benefit of marks already scored to pass with a pony on a sale. Entrance fee $5. 2nd prize $300; 3rd prize $200.

Mr. Tally Ho's Valorous, 152 lbs. ....(Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Mr. Chums' King's Counsel, 153 lbs......(Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
Mr. Chan Tin Son's Zorhan, 149 lbs. ....(Mr. Harriman) 3

Also ran:—Carbine, 151 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Coronation Eve, 153 lbs. (Mr. Reidy); Orlando, 145 lbs. (Mr. A. W. da Roza).

Time: 2 mins. 03.4-5 secs.

Won by six lengths; a short head between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $8.30.
Places: 1st, $5.70; 2nd, $8.30; 3rd, $7.90.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Valorous	1,559	1,388
Coronation Eve	618	675
Zorhan	351	374
King's Counsel	108	333
Orlando	101	249
Carbine	30	43

5.—Caine Handicap: 1¼ Miles.

For China ponies, griffins of this season. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $500; 2nd prize $300; 3rd prize $200.

Mr. Chan Wai Sang's Nippy, 148 lbs..........(Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 1
Mr. Chan Tin Son's Wonderful Stag, 150 lbs...(Mr. Proulx) 2)
Mr. L.T.F.'s Gold Key, 162 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) 3

Also ran:—Britannic Hall, 145 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Daylight Eve, 158 lbs. (Mr. Reidy); Spey, 152 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); The Plover, 146 lbs. (Mr. A. W. da Roza).

Time: 2 mins. 37.1-5 secs.

Won by a short head; three lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $15.60.
Places: 1st, $6.50; 2nd, $9.60; 3rd, $6.10.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Gold Key	1,041	1,270
Nippy	897	895
Daylight Eve	410	588
Wonderful Stag	337	328
Spey	274	454
Britannic Hall	70	139
The Plover	62	137

6.—Paddock Plate: One Mile.

For China ponies—"C2" Class. Weight for inches as per scale. 1 lb. penalty for every $200 or part thereof won in stakes since January 1, 1931. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won five flat races anywhere at any time. Jockeys 2 lbs. penalty for each race won. Penalties accumulative. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $500; 2nd prize $200; 3rd prize $100.

Messrs. Chau and Chau's Good Day, 155 lbs...(Mr. Benham) 1
Mr. A. A. R. Botelho's Thunderous Stag, 167 lbs. (Mr. Corbett) 2
Messrs. Newbigging & Gordon's Grey Dawn, 157 lbs. (Mr. I. M. Stewart) 3*
Mr. Chan Tin Son's Wise Stag, 158 lbs. (Mr. G. P. Ferguson) 3*

Also ran:—Acacia Leaf, 159 lbs. (Mr. R. H. Carroll); Armony, 164 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Lee); Blue Boy, 159 lbs. J. E. Noronha); Bronze Eyes, 157 lbs. (Mr. S. To Wong); Brunswick Hall, 166 lbs. (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho); Edenbridge, 162 lbs. (Mr. Yue Shun Wa); Fi-Fa, 163 lbs. (Mr. H. S. V. Mossop); Mongolian Stag, 183 lbs. (Mr. T. C. Beck); Mount Elburz, 151 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Tang); Sunloch, 155 lbs. (Mr. A. H. S. Alves); Tango, 155 lbs. (Mr. F. Lobel); The Quail, 159 lbs. (Mr. Butler); Vamoose, 156 lbs. (Mr. Kitchell).

Time: 2 mins. 12.2-5 secs.

Won by half a length; the same between second and third.

*—Dead heat.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $506.10.
Places: 1st, $90.10; 2nd, $21.50; 3rd, $25.10 (Wise Stag) and $6.70 (Grey Dawn).

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Grey Dawn	674	630
Blue Boy	416	587
Edenbridge	227	216
Armony	197	294
Brunswick Hall	157	210
Thunderous Stag	148	180
Bronze Eyes	113	155
Fi-Fa	86	115
Wise Stag	61	74
Tango	55	95
Acacia Leaf	49	67
Vamoose	43	105
Mongolian Stag	41	80
The Quail	33	63
Sunloch	28	65
Good Day	21	35
Mount Elburz	13	42

7.—October Handicap: 1¼ Miles.

For China ponies. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $500; 2nd prize $300; 3rd prize $200.

Mr. Eve's Boxing Eve, 160 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 1
Mr. Dynasty's King's Colour, 154 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
Mr. Heard's Royal Flush, 150 lbs.............(Mr. S. N. Pan) 3

Also ran:—Monterey Bay, 140 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung); The Gomeril, 140 lbs. (Mr. A. W. da Roza).

Time: 2 mins. 36.3-5 secs.

Won by two lengths; six lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $14.10.
Places: 1st, $8.50; 2nd, $9.00.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Royal Flush	1,134	805
Boxing Eve	980	509
King's Colour	880	360
Monterey Bay	64	59
Gomeril	20	27

8.—Bonham Handicap: One Mile.

For China ponies—"B1" Class. Entrance fee $5. 1st prize $450; 2nd prize $250; 3rd prize $150.

Mr. Wong Lan Kam's Eros, 150 lbs. ....(Mr. Proulx) 1
Mr. Choy Wing Hau's Sanction, 140 lbs......(Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2
Mr. L.T.F.'s Paul Pry, 143 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) 3

Also ran:—African Eve, 155 lbs. (Mr. Lobel); Ataman, 168 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Piccalilli, 142 lbs. (Mr. Bramwell).

Time: 2 mins. 04.4-5 secs.

Won by a head; the same between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: $8.80.
Places: 1st, $5.00; 2nd, $6.80; 3rd, $8.30.

Betting.

	Winner.	Places.
Eros	1,750	1,379
Ataman	909	519
Sanction	403	454
Paul Pry	164	256
Piccalilli	132	192
African Eve	66	85

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SITUATION IN SWATOW.

ANOTHER STRONG JAPANESE PROTEST.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

SWATOW, Oct. 23.

The general situation here has not improved in the least. Anti-Japanese propaganda is circulated and printed every day in the vernacular papers. One report has it that a number of Japanese have been specifically imported into Swatow with the object of stirring up trouble.

The local Press has expected armed intervention by the United States against Japan but a few realities of the situation are now realised, and there is an occasional note of bitterness against America. The Press also complains that China is not getting from the League of Nations what was expected.

The boycott against goods of Japanese origin is still enforced and as a result the shops and stores have next to nothing to offer in the way of clothes and sundries, so that, while Japan suffers a reduced export trade, the Chinese merchants make no profit and the Chinese public suffer the inconvenience of not being able to procure cheap grade goods. The Chinese Customs likewise must be content with a decrease of revenue. A boycott is, therefore, a loss all round.

Boycott or no boycott Japanese steamers continue to call regularly, though with "cargo *nil*" on the manifest. Despite the fact that sampans are prohibited from boarding them, the Japanese have their own facilities for keeping touch with their steamers.

Demonstration Abandoned.

A huge demonstration, comprising the students, the labour unions and other organisations, etc., was to have been staged on the 18th inst., but was abandoned. The authorities requested that it be "postponed!"

In this connection, a Government mandate has been issued to the effect that, all (if any) future demonstrations must be conducted in an orderly manner and that no slogans are to be shouted. The Police Department has been instructed to see that the order is being obyed. The authorities must be congratulated on their very successful control of anti-Japanese violence.

Post Office and Propaganda.

For some time past this Union has asked that all incoming and outgoing letters be stamped with anti-Japanese slogans, but afterwards it was restricted to Chinese correspondence only. How deeply the Chinese feel can be judged by this propaganda. However, a Government mandate has put an end to this form of propaganda.

The Anti-Japanese Committee recently detained the messenger of the Japanese Consulate while he was in town. The Consul at once communicated with the Mayor and made strong representations. He pointed out that it was the clear duty of the authorities to give protection to everybody in the exercise of his legitimate profession, and he added that if that protection was not given he (the Consul) would have to solicit the assistance of the Japanese Navy. The warning had its effect and the Mayor gave instructions that the messenger be released forthwith. The Boycott Committee felt that they had "lost face" and proposed that the messenger should be searched by them twice daily. However, nothing has been done.

It will be remembered that the authorities placed armed policemen outside the Japanese Consulate for the purpose of searching every person entering and leaving the compound. Following the strong representations it appears that this has been cancelled. The Japanese Consul also protested against some soldiers taking part in one of the demonstrations organised by the students.

A little while ago the head of a police sub-station was dismissed for receiving a bribe of $200 from a certain merchant, who, three times, had smuggled Japanese goods up-country with the police officers consent.

The Anti-Japanese Boycott Committee was formerly housed in the same building as the Kuomintang Headquarters, but it has since taken a big house in the main road owing to increased activities and an enlarged staff.

The Volunteers.

The students still indulge in war talk and refer to China's many millions. With regard to the Volunteer Army, to which reference has been made in this column, many of the recruits have already ordered their uniforms at their own expense, too! Some of the students' parents being pretty well-off naturally prefer to see their sons going on with their education rather than "rough it" in the training camps. Some 500 student volunteers can be supplied from schools here but medical examination is waived.

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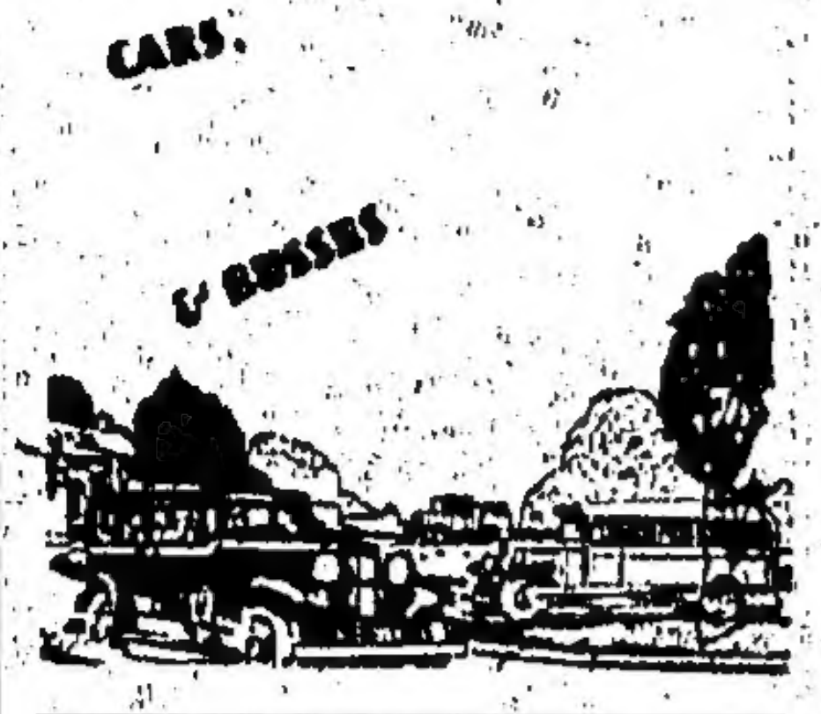

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MARRIAGES.

BAPTISTA—JOSE.—On October 17, at Shanghai, Mrs. MERCEDES MARIA COELHO JOSE to Mr. P. M. BAPTISTA.

JACOBSEN—LESSNER.—On October 15, at Shanghai, PAULINE MARIE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. S. LESSNER, to Mr. JOHN H. JACOBSEN, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. JACOBSEN of North Merrick, Long Island, New York.

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THE SOCIAL EVIL.

NOT the least interesting and important part of the Budget Debate was the reply of H.E. THE GOVERNOR to the Hon. Mr. BRAGA'S request that disorderly houses in Kowloon should be removed from their position in residential areas and close proximity to certain schools. Sir WILLIAM PEEL, in the course of a sympathetic reply said that Singapore's experiment in abolition was being closely watched with a view, presumably, to its possible application to this Colony.

The Government's policy in the past seems to have been one of *laisser faire*. Certain areas always have been devoted to this particular purpose, and the mere fact that decent residential property, and even schools, have since been built within a stone's throw, is no reason for upsetting "olo custom," and undertaking a difficult piece of administrative work! In Wanchai the situation is particularly bad and it is difficult to understand why the authorities responsible for the Naval Canteen, the Seamen's Institute and the Sailors' and Soldiers' Wesleyan Home do not insist upon the removal of a notorious area, within a few minutes' walk, where the inmates, and their agents (as in Nathan Road) have a fairly free run of the adjoining streets.

A League of Nations Committee recently visited Hong Kong and other places in this part of the world, and examined the problem of traffic in women and children in the Far East, which has a close bearing upon the matter of "abolition." The report has not yet been published, and we hope that when it appears sundry misgivings as to the extent to which this Colony is involved in an elaborate system of commercialised vice will be set at rest. Careful investigations by the League experts over a large number of years have shown that in Europe, the Middle East and America, the existence of licensed or tolerated houses has always seen the rise of an organisation for the supply of inmates both to these places, and to the illicit houses that are never, in fact, eliminated from a big town. Simultaneously there is an iron exploitation of girls decoyed or persuaded into this way of life. Big money becomes involved, and the complexities of the problem increase correspondingly.

The arguments in favour of the system of "toleration," are that control both of disease and of exploitation are possible, and, moreover, the "social evil" is kept away from the eyes of the public. As we have already pointed out, Wanchai and Nathan Road after dark hardly bear out the last contention. Impressive facts and figures from all parts of the world have been adduced showing that both disease and "traffic" decrease with abolition, the general moral standard being raised by that policy, while it is debased by the provision of an open market.

The great seaports where East and West meet, present special difficulties, and nowhere more, as His Excellency said, than in Hong Kong. Singapore's experiment must be watched carefully and impartially. It is within the bounds of possibility that more harm than good might be done by abolition, though, we believe, Colombo has seen a big improvement due to suppression of "houses." Neither Colombo nor Singapore has, however, the complication of the proximity of large towns, nor are those places to the same extent as Hong Kong, centres of coolie and other passenger traffic.

If the balance of evidence suggested that "toleration" is preferable to abolition in Hong Kong surely there might be better administration than at present? The abolitionist would, however, reply, that in point of fact there never has been "better administration," in any place or at any time; that the system is so evil that abuses cannot be controlled.

UNCENSORED TRAVELS.

A newish aspect of travel is suggested by a New Zealander's reported "world pilgrimage to see banned plays and films and read banned books." If it be the aim of travel to broaden the mind here is one way of deliberately applying the stretching process—the happy voyager says that he reads JOYCE'S "Ulysses" in Paris, LAWRENCE'S "Lady Chatterley's Lover" in Italy, and other banned works in Austria. There may be some of the sterner sort in New Zealand who will be inclined to tell him that his philosophy is too much like that of the Llangollen innkeeper who assured GEORGE BORROW that "a pint of bad liquor abroad is better than a quart of good at home"—he goes abroad to look for manure heaps instead of nosegays, as MAX O'RELL and told MARK TWAIN in the course of a rather unedifying and now forgotten controversy. However, the traveller who goes to Paris to read JAMES JOYCE is not absolutely precluded from making some other use of his visit. When he has finished "Ulysses" there is nothing to stop his wandering into the Louvre or Luxembourg nor need his addiction to D. H. LAWRENCE in Italy leave him in the case of the young gentleman described in the "Dunciad"—"All classic learning lost on classic ground." He may begin with the banned, but is at full liberty to proceed to the universally admitted. And as a lure to "tourizme" in general his system is not without its possibilities. Liquor that is banned in U.S.A. is said to bring some American tourists to freer Europe; forbidden letterpress may have the same effect. It is a pity that the idea does not hold out much hope of profit for the "Come to Britain" movement; perhaps we have been too rash in our embargo on unedifying books. Perhaps we ought to have remembered that literary lapses as well as liquor may be part of the traveller's lure when the voyage is suffering from too many repressions on the home front.

★ News and Views ★

Tale of the Day.

Talkie Director: "Thank goodness, we've finished that scene. I wouldn't do it again for a million dollars."

Assistant Director: "Well, you almost had to. One of the visitors—"

Director: "He didn't talk or anything, did he?"

Assistant Director: "Oh, no. I went SSSSHHHHHHH!"

Dignity of the Force.

In a confidential circular issued to heads of administrative departments under his control, M. Chiappe, the Paris Prefect of Police, has laid down rules governing the private lives of policemen and other public servants.

It has been fairly common in the past for a policeman in Paris to have a second occupation. Some of them have been concierges and others market porters, wine merchants, or bookkeepers in their spare time. They are now warned that a police officer must have no business cares beyond those connected with his police duties.

The underlying idea of the new regulations is, the Prefect explains, that public servants must preserve not only their dignity, but complete independence.

Indian Population 350,353,678.

The latest Indian Census figures disclose interesting results.

The total population is 350,353,678. The Hindus number 238,330,912, representing a 10 per cent. increase on the last decade.

The Moslems aggregate 77,743,928, a 13.1 per cent. increase.

Sikhs have increased 33 per cent., Jains 2 per cent., Buddhists 8 per cent., and Parsees 5 per cent.

Battle of the Paint Pots at Oxford.

Most Oxford men of this generation know the name of Hell Passage—that narrow path near New College—but they will apparently know it no more.

It has been made nameless.

Originally it was called St. Helen's Passage, as a board to that effect bore painted witness, but mysterious hands with a few strokes of a brush took the Saint out of Helen's and made it "Hell."

Descended upon the board once more the official painter; again the midnight eraser erased, until at last patience was exhausted, and now the board bears, like the banner mid snow and ice, a single word—"Passage."

"We don't know who's responsible," said an old resident, "but there are some round here who don't like the word 'Hell.' They feel it lets the passage down.

5,000 for 50 Jobs.

Five thousand young people queued up in Birmingham for 50 jobs advertised by a drapery firm.

More than 1,200 names were entered on the firm's books as being "possibles," and these will be notified.

£794,584 Savings.

Capt. the Hon. W. G. Ormsby-Gore, the Postmaster-General, states in a printed Parliamentary reply that at Aug. 31 there were approximately 10,202,000 Savings Bank depositors, and that the total amount of their deposits, with accrued interest, was £794,584,000.

In reply to another question, the Postmaster-General states that the separate holdings in National Savings Certificates number 6,000,000.

The amount of capital and interest outstanding is approximately £500,000,000 (£378,000,000 capital and £122,000,000 accrued interest).

New Zealand Cricket Tour Loss.

The New Zealand cricket tour of Great Britain this season has resulted in a loss to the New Zealand Cricket Council of between £1,500 and £2,000.

"The weather was against us," Mr. A. T. Donnelly, stated. "But for the rain we should have made a profit on the tour.

"However, we are not downhearted. We were perpared to come over here and take our chance. Everyone in Britain has extended to us the most extraordinary kindness and hospitality. We have enjoyed every moment of our stay."

New Repertory Theatre.

London is to have a new Repetory Theatre controlled by a number of West End actors and actresses, who have decided to meet the shortage of engagements by a co-operative enterprise on their own account. Miss Lydia Donovan is the moving spirit of the venture, and she has with her Ray Desmond, Digby Vernon, Oswald Lingard, and C. W. Carleton Crowe.

Factory Sits Quest.

Scores of American industries are inquiring of the American Chamber of Commerce in London regarding the possible location of branch factories in Great Britain to escape the threatened British tariffs.

It is feared in New York that efforts will be made to extend a tariff wall around the British Empire, which would constitute a serious blow to the foreign trade of the United States, as about half America's exports go to members of the British Commonwealth.

Bishop at the Coal Face.

The Bishop of Leicester, Dr. Cyril Bardsley, recently descended Ellistown Colliery, near Coalville, and spent two hours underground visiting the coal face.

The Bishop said it was his first descent of a coal mine. He had been anxious to see the conditions under which many of his people worked. He was everywhere kindly received, and the experience had been most interesting.

Eton College Winter Half Begins.

The winter half has begun at Eton College, the entrance and pass exams being hailed with the usual amount of trepidation.

There were 1,120 boys on the new school register, as 118 new arrivals were admitted to take the places of the 102 who left at the end of last half.

The new boys included Viscount Errington, Viscount Vaughan, the Hon. J. J. Astor, the Hon. K. MacKay, and the Hon. E. R. Wills.

There were very few staff changes this half. The Rev. G. J. Chitty's House was taken over by Mr. C. Mayes, while Mr. R. T. Assheton entered into possession of the house formerly occupied by Mr. F. W. Dobbs.

The principal sport this half will be the field game, which is played by all the houses, and the numerous playing pitches on Agar's Plough, Dutchman's Farm, and School Field have been prepared in readiness for an immediate start.

Guinea's Time Gun.

A financial commission which visited British Guiana to investigate the financial position of that colony and to see if it were possible to maintain a balanced Budget, made proposals which would reduce the anticipated deficit to £181,958.

Among the recommendations are the omission from the estimates of the cost of firing a time gun at 5 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily and the abolition of a "militia" band owing to the cost.

No provision for the time gun appeared in the estimates for the current year, but it was understood that the gun was being fired by using up surplus powder.

"The gun," it is stated, "is being maintained, among other reasons, for the sentimental one that it is a reminder of the emancipation of the slaves, since the five o'clock gun was always fired to call the slaves to work.

Art Treasures in War Time.

A congress, instituted on the initiative of the New York Roerich Museum, for the purpose of drafting an international pact for the protection of artistic buildings and art productions in war time, is sitting in Bruges.

Among the suggestions put forward is a proposal by M. Chaklaver, of Paris, who said that all historical monuments should display a flag consisting of three red circles on a white background. This would protect them from bombardment.

It is hoped that all nations will ratify the proposed agreement, which bears the name of the Roerich pact.

★ Local Notes and Events ★

One case of diphtheria was reported on Friday.

The Kennedy Town Bathing Beach is to be closed on the 31st instant.

The *Gazette* contains regulations in respect of dairies in the New Territories excepting New Kowloon.

It is notified that the names of the Kwok Fung Co., Ltd., and of the Asiatic Trading Co., Ltd., have been struck off the register of companies.

At to-morrow's Rotary Club tiffin the speaker will be one of the members of the Oregon University debating team, and his subject, "America in the New Age."

Under the Companies (Winding Up) Ordinance, a second and final dividend of 88 per cent. has been declared in the matter of the Instone Banking Corporation, Ltd.

The name of Mr. Arthus Fung, 772, Nathan Road, Kowloon, Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ireland, has been added to the list of medical practitioners.

Bankruptcy notifications state that a first and final dividend of $7 per cent. has been declared in the case of Chung Chiu-kee, contractor, and a first dividend of $8 per cent. in the case of the Kwong Mee Shing, rice merchants.

The police have received a report from Ng Hung-hing, managing partner of the King Cheong firm, 92, Connaught Road West, in which he accused a partner, looking after the embezzled $6,383.63, monies, received by the firm between the dates of June 30 and July 18 of this year.

It is notified that His Excellency the Governor in Council has authorised as a place to be used as a Cemetery and to be known as "Cheung Chau Chinese Christian Cemetery" a piece of land containing about 10,000 square feet, situated at Cheung Chau.

On Saturday night, the police arrested three Chinese youths, who are alleged to have been caught throwing stones at a Japanese ship tied up at the O.S.K. wharf. The activities of these youths first became known when stones were seen to fall on the wharf apparently from nowhere. The direction of the missles was soon traced, however, and the youthful demonstrators were taken into custody.

From the Files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

To-day Mr. E. H. Sharp, K.C., leaves Hong Kong on a trip to Australia.

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Mr. J. W. Lee Jones, having returned from his holiday in Japan, resumes duty as Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court. It is expected that Mr. J. H. Kemp, who now fills that position, will act as second police magistrate.

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A complimentary farewell dinner will be given to Sir Charles Dudgeon on his resignation of the chairmanship of the China Association and on his departure from Shanghai. The dinner will be held on Wednesday, October 31, at the Shanghai Club.

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There has been a general exodus of residents during the last few days from Cameron Terrace, and Austin, Humphreys and Granville Avenues, Kowloon. It is stated that these blocks of houses have been taken by the Military Authorities for two years.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, October 26, 1906.

Looking Back 50 Years.

The recommendation of the Marine Court of Inquiry that the Pratas Shoals be lighted is one that cannot be too warmly commended. It is fearful to contemplate the number of wrecks, attended by loss of life, which have taken place on this dreaded spot. Scarcely a year passes without one or more vessels coming to grief on the Shoal, and the fact that the Courts held to inquire into the circumstances of the wrecks usually find no blame attaching to the *master* is of itself sufficient to show the insidious nature

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of the danger, a danger which the mariner in the locality, beset with uncertain currents, never knows when he may come in contact with. Within the last few weeks the Bolton Abbey and the General Paget have been wrecked there, and the Court has in each case recommended the proper lighting of the Shoal. Presuming that the subject is taken immediately, the question would arise as to what country ought to establish and maintain the light or lights. The Pratas are about half way between Hong Kong and the north-west point of Luzon, and about the same distance south of Formosa. It is hardly likely that China would be disposed to do the work, nor, we fear, could much assistance be looked for from Spain. The interests of England are involved to the largest extent, since the number of her merchant ships in the China Sea far surpasses that of those belonging to any other nation, and on her therefore would devolve the responsibility of at least initiating the work, and this ought to be made an Imperial rather than a Colonial matter.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, October 26, 1881.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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THE BRITISH MINISTER AND THE THORBURN CASE.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—The British Minister's name had been so long out of the local papers that one feared he had met with a fate similar to that of poor Thorburn, and one also feared that a similar policy of silence was being adopted. Now that he is reported to have arrived in Shanghai may one ask the following questions?

Did he see Chiang Kai Shek personally?

Did he get any coherent reply?

Did he hand this to the British Government?

Why are the details not published?

If the Thorburn case is to be quietly dropped I suggest that the Minister and his staff be removed from China as part of a National economy movement.—Yours, etc.,

"FED UP."

Swatow, October 23.

PENINSULA HOTEL ROSE ROOM.

Les Dejebans and William Rimels appeared on Saturday evening with a new and entertaining programme which included the following items: Dance of the Marines, Apache Dance, Rokkoko Dance Ilyle, Louis XV., Moaning Low and Final dance:—

They were accorded a hearty welcome by a crowd of more than 200 people, among whom we noted:—

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pooley. At their table were: Com. and Mrs. Walker, Col. and Mrs. C. R. Saville, Capt. and Mrs. Moir and Capt. and Mrs. Marrick.

Further we noted: Major and Mrs. N. C. Bennett, O.B.E., M.C., at their table were: Capt. and Mrs. Agnew Wallace, Capt. and Mrs. D. P. Grant, Capt. R. C. B. Andersen, Capt. R. G. Hyde, Lieut. Repor-Calbeck, Lt. Younger, Lt. Church, Lieut. Keith-Murray, Lieut. Cape, Lieut. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Robin Gordon, the Misses Hancock, Miss Mackie, Miss Whitham, Miss Taylor.

Also present were:—Mr. M. A. Robertson, Mr. McLellan, Lt.-Com. and Mrs. Allinson, Capt. and Mrs. Kearry, Mr. Reck, Mr. Dale, Mr. C. C. Grays, Mr. E. A. Walter, Lt. Humphreys, Com. Stevenson, Mr. Pentreath, Mr. H. B. Joseph, Mr. Foxull, Capt. Ashby, Mr. Dowling, Mr. Lawber, Mr. Lam, Mr. M. P. Olesen, Mr. Fournier, Lt. H. C. Pound, Mr. B. Pasco, Lieut. and Mrs. Donohue, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton, Mr. A. V. Harvey, Mr. H. Y. Liang, Mr. Printup, Mr. and Mrs.

POLICE CHIEF GOES MAD.

CLIMAX OF POLISH FRONTIER INCIDENTS.

The series of sensational discoveries and events at Schneidemuhl, one of the more important German towns on the Polish-German frontier, reached a climax on September 25, when Herr Waltz, the head of the political police, was certified by three doctors as a dangerous lunatic.

This verdict puts an end to the investigations into his affairs which were instituted last week by the police as a result of his unusual behaviour while giving evidence at the trial of two of his subordinates on a charge of embezzling public funds.

Although he was in no way implicated in the affair, he trembled uncontrollably as soon as he entered the box, could scarcely speak and finally broke down in a fit of hysterical sobbing.

Thinking that this conduct betrayed a guilty conscience, the police paid a surprise visit to his house, where they found quantities of confidential documents dealing with important cases of frontier espionage which had passed through the hands of Herr Waltz since 1925. This discovery led to his immediate arrest.

In the ensuing inquiry, to elicit the purpose for which the documents has been removed from the Government office, Herr Waltz behaved in so violent and unusual a manner that the police were finally convinced that he was not malingering, but was genuinely mad.

WORLD AGAINST JAPAN?

LEAGUE COUNCIL ADJOURNS

JAPAN VOTES AGAINST RESOLUTION.

"FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES" CAUSE EMBARRASSMENT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, October 25.

THERE is nation-wide resentment expressed at the League's refusal to accept Japan's counter-proposals and its insistence on the Japanese withdrawal by November 16.

While recognising the League resolution indicates that China has apparently gained the moral support of the World, official circles appear confident the League will finally come to recognise the justice of Japan's stand, but whether it does or does not it is emphasised that Japan regards the outcome of the dispute is a matter of life or death, consequently her stand is unalterable, even if it becomes Japan against the World.

Mr. Yoshizawa's failure to explain the meaning of "fundamental principles" has caused obvious embarrassment in official quarters, and for the purpose of rectifying the matter the Government is drafting a statement clearly enumerating and, at the same time, clarifying the whole postion and reiterating her former pledges.

WILL JAPANESE TROOPS WITHDRAW BEFORE NOV. 16?

GENEVA, Oct. 24.

It is understood that the delay in the meeting of the Council was partly due to drawing up of minor modifications in the Council's Draft Resolution, especially in regard to the order of the clauses.

The Japanese counter-proposal was the first voted on. Japan being the only country to vote in its favour.

The Council's proposal was then voted on, Japan being the only country to vote against it.

The vote on the Japanese counter-proposal was taken by a show of hands. The vote on the Council's proposal was a nominal one and was taken in the following order:—Great Britain, Japan, Poland, Peru, Irish Free State, Panama, Guatemala, China and the six other members of the Council, making the result 13 votes to 1 in favour of the proposal.

The feeling before the last sitting of the Council was a worrying one. The public was eager and the delegates grave; M. Briand turned pages of the document while Señor Madariaga, head sunk on his breast, was deep in some abstruse calculation. Dr. Sze arrived, smiling, with a black document case.

The sitting opened at 5.05 p.m.

FINAL MEETING.

M. Briand said that since the morning further conversations had occurred in the hope of finding a solution. He had hoped at one moment that the two parties might be brought together, and a proposal found which could be voted unanimously. But, unhappily, this had not materialised and the Council was faced with the two texts, but it must not be inferred that the upshot of these conversations had worsened the situation.

M. Briand said there was a new desire on the part of the Japanese to join the Council in the view which the Council had taken, but the Japanese representative, who far from his country, is unable to interpret his instructions as he would have liked. The Council is, therefore, still faced with the two proposals.

M. Briand added that in this solemn moment the Japanese Government had expressed, through its representative, she had no intention of exercising violence in the solution of the conflict. He had noted the pacific sentiments of the Japanese and trusted this policy would be persisted in and a solution of the conflict achieved.

The vote followed a series of speeches.

Tributes to M. Briand.

Viscount Cecil warmly paid tribute to M. Briand's work in attaining the "very considerable measure of success which had been reached."

Mr. Yoshizawa also paid tribute to M. Briand's wisdom and impartiality.

Dr. Sze feared there would be little likelihood of any improvement in the situation because Japan insisted that Sino-Japanese negotiations precede the withdrawal of Japanese troops, and in making satisfactory arrangements under the auspices of the League for compensation and damage sustained by Chinese in Manchuria since Sept. 18.

Dr. Sze was therefore of the opinion that the period of adjournment to Nov. 16 was too long and China reserved the right to call an earlier meeting, should the process of withdrawal not proceed satisfactorily.

Closing Speeches.

M. Briand in his closing speech urged the Chinese and Japanese representatives who, he said, had manifested much goodwill during the deliberations, to urge their Governments to do nothing to aggravate the conflict and hoped the difficulty would be disposed of by Nov. 16.

Señor Madariaga hoped that the co-operation of the United States would continue.

Mr. Prentiss Gilbert returned thanks for the many warm tributes paid to the United States by speakers with which Dr. Sze heartily associated himself.

The Council then adjourned till Nov. 16.

It is thought that the next sitting of the Council will be held in Paris, but it is not yet certain.

After the proceedings Dr. Sze commented that he was living in hopes of a pacific settlement being reached.

Will Japan Resign from League?

LONDON, Oct. 25.

Will either Japan or China, or both, resign from the League before Nov. 16? is the melancholy question asked by the *Observer* in reviewing developments at Geneva. It says that in view of the further disturbing circumstances many serious minds at Geneva have considered the expediency of staking the League's existence on the immediate application of Article XV. against Japan; but "such notions fill realistic people with alarm." At best it would cause the certainty of Japanese secession from the League, and defeat the purpose of the Disarmament Conference, except in the unlikely event of the boycott succeeding and enforcing the withdrawal of Japanese troops.

Attitude of Japanese Officials.

TOKYO, Oct. 24.

A Reuter's cablegram from Tokyo yesterday states: "If the League refuses to handle the question of the sacredness of Treaties, the League should refrain from attempting to force Japan to change her stand," appears to sum up the attitude of Japanese official circles, which are clearly disappointed at and resentful with the League's apparent intention to override Japan's insistence on Chinese recognition of her Treaty commitments as a *sine qua non.*

Whilst emphasising that Japan recognises the seriousness of such a step, officials intimate that Japan intends to stand pat on the Treaty question and would have seriously to consider withdrawal from the League if the Council refuses to back up the principle of the sacredness of Treaties, as refusal can only be interpreted as setting at naught the first principles of international intercourse.

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THE MORNING SESSION.

GENEVA, Oct. 24.

In spite of stormy weather there was a fair attendance of the public to witness the opening of this morning's sitting of the Council, which opened a few minutes after ten o'clock.

M. Briand opened the sitting by stating that the object was the continuation of the deliberation of the Council's draft proposal to the Japanese counter-proposal.

Mr. Yoshizawa then made a most important pronouncement in referring to the question by M. Briand and Viscount Cecil yesterday. He affirmed that the fundamental principles mentioned in the Japanese counter-proposal were only intended to ensure the safety of Japanese nationals. Other subjects forming the matter of disagreement between the two countries could be discussed at a later date.

What Are "Fundamental Principles"?

Viscount Cecil thereon asked for very definite decisions regarding the purport of the Japanese phrase "fundamental principles."

Mr. Yoshizawa replied that he had a certain idea what those fundamentals were, but he could not communicate them to the Council until he was authorised by the Japanese Government. He thought it only natural that his Government should desire to conclude an agreement with China before proceeding to evacuation. The Japanese Government was convinced that otherwise Japanese nationals would be exposed to reprisals. He considered that he had already given sufficient explanations on this point of fundamental principles.

Senor Madariaga (Spain) asked whether the fundamental principles were really only those connected with the security of Japanese nationals after the withdrawal of troops. He added: "I regret I am not content with the explanations of the Japanese representative."

Senor Madariaga suggested that there was an easy solution of the problem. Let them decide after the Japanese troops had been withdrawn that direct negotiations should begin the same day. The question of the exact length of delay after withdrawal was a matter which could be arranged.

Lord Cecil again intervened. He said that his Japanese colleague had called his attention to the fact, according to Press reports, that the main fundmental which the Japanese desired to discuss was the question of Treaties between China and Japan. "Neither he nor I is responsible for what appears in the Press, but I drew his attention to the fact that this might be one of the possible points for examination."

Sacredness of Treaties.

Lord Cecil then read the Tokyo cablegram stating that if the League refused to handle the question of the sacredness of Treaties, the League should refrain from attempting to force Japan to change her stand.

Lord Cecil said that the Council had not been apprised of any intention to raise the question of Treaties. "Yet we are informed by a news agency, which is one of the most reputable in the world, that official circles in Japan declare that Japan is unable to change her attitude."

He was sure that Mr. Yoshizawa would recognise what grave misunderstandings might arise. There was no question of sacredness of Treaties since the Covenant provided for scrupulous respect for all Treaty obligations.

There might be a dispute regarding the validity of interpretation of Treaties. Such dispute could be settled by The Hague Tribunal.

Safety of Japanese First.

Mr. Yoshizawa, in replying to Senor Madariaga and Viscount Cecil, said that the Japanese Government was always ready to withdraw its troops as soon as it was convinced of the safety of its nationals and property. He declared, regarding the question of sanctity of Treaties, that there must be a misunderstanding as he had not cabled to his Government in this sense.

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M. BRIAND SUMS UP.

M. Briand, in summing up, said that the text of the resolution of the Council was inspired by respect for Treaties, but there could be no question of prolonged negotiations before evacuation. The fundamental difference dividing the two parties lay in what should be envisaged when it came to ensuring the security of their nationals.

Condition of Safety.

M. Briand reminded Mr. Yoshizawa that before the discussion was envenomed by politics the Japanese Government undertook to pursue as rapidly as posible the withdrawal of its troops, which had already been begun on the condition that the safety of Japanese nationals was adequately provided for. This declaration presupposed recognition of the fact that the protection of its nationals could be assured. It was a question of the dignity of the League that that question should be solved.

Referring to the Press Messages read at various sittings, M. Briand said that he was unwilling to introduce information from outside sources. He had feared that it was in the thought of the Japanese Government to introduce into discussions the main questions at issue, but Mr. Yoshizawa had assured the Council that such questions could only be discussed after evacuation.

M. Briand suggested that the Japanese counter-proposal should be discussed and, if rejected, the Council's proposal should be considered unless the Chinese and Japanese had any other course to propose.

MR. YOSHIZAWA'S REPLY.

Mr. Yoshizawa, speaking most indistinctly explained that the fundamental principles should not be set forth at the Council table, but should be discussed by the two parties, and it was absolutely necessary to reach an agreement beforehand in which these principles were set forth.

He regretted, therefore, that he was unable to withdraw the words referred to in the counter-proposal, nor could he accept the Council's resolution without guarantee of security for Japanese nationals, but Japan did not desire to procure a solution by military force.

FRIDAY'S MEETING.

GENEVA, Oct. 23.

At a public sitting of the League Council this evening, Dr. Alfred Sze announced that the Chinese Government have authorised him to accept the resolution drafted by the Committee of Five although it appeared to fail to grapple with the necessities of the situation.

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FRANCO-AMERICAN CONVERSATIONS.

CO-ORDINATION OF BANKING RESOURCES PROBABLE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.

President Hoover and M. Laval have reached an agreement to coordinate Franco-American banking resources in the interests of world stability, but all details are not yet settled.

M. Laval is returning to White House to-morrow for a final talk.

ITALIAN MINISTER AT BERLIN.

MANY SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Oct. 25.

The Italian Foreign Minister, Signor Grandi, arrived this morning for a series of discussions with the German Ministers, embracing the world economic crisis, reparations, war debts, disarmament and tariffs.

QUEEN ATTENDS ROYAL MARRIAGE.

NEW PRAYER BOOK USED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 24.

Her Majesty the Queen, H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, his three brothers, the Duchess of York, Princess Mary and other Royalties were present at the marriage, in the village Church at Balcombe, Sussex, to-day, of Lady May Cambridge, the only daughter and surviving child of the Earl of Athlone and Princess Alice, and niece of the Queen, to Captain Henry Abel Smith, a member of a famous old banking family. There were twelve bridesmaids including Princess Elizabeth, Princess Ingrid of Sweden and Princess Sybille of Saxe Coburg Gotha.

The new Prayer Book omitting the bride's promise to "Obey" was used.

HOME ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

FIRST RESULTS EXPECTED ON TUESDAY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 25.

What high post overseas has the Prime Minister refused to accept? is the question inspired in a speech by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald at Seaham. "You are being told that if I return to Parliament I am going to some important post across a bit of sea. I have already had an opportunity of taking that position but refused it."

Newspapers surmise that the Premier is referring to India or the Washington Embassy.

Mr. MacDonald with unflagging energy attended the official despatch-box and delivered three speeches yesterday. He wound up with a final broadcast of the Government's case in which he dealt with the intention to determine as soon as possible the level at which sterling should be stabilised, to take the earliest international action to remedy the "mad" economic situation and to review the Peace Treaties "that have brought us nearer and nearer to oozing bogs in which we are floundering."

Stern Fight for Premier.

LONDON, Oct. 24.

It is expected the election results for 215 constituencies will be available late on Tuesday night or early on Wednesday, and 315 constituencies from Wednesday midday onwards.

The result for Seaham, where Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has a strenuous fight and in which the public is taking a keen interest, will be declared on Wednesday afternoon.

No Thunderbolts.

Though still mottled by highly-coloured party arguments the political sky is rapidly clearing. There are no signs of thunderbolts in the closing stages of the campaign, notwithstanding that Lord Arnold yesterday warned a Bethnal Green audience that a second Zinovieff letter was coming at the week-end.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Oct. 24.

Mr. Compton Mackenzie, Scottish Nationalist, was elected Rector of Glasgow University to-day.

Last Broadcast Speech.

Last night Mr. Henderson presented the case for the Labour Party over the wireless, and late this evening the Prime Minister broadcasts his final appeal on behalf of candidates supporting the National Government.

Mr. Henderson asserted that world capitalism had broken down even in countries where its authority was thought to be most secure and described the remedy of Labour Party as planned for the reconstruction of National life, which would put National well-being before private advantage. He denied the suggestion that the return of a Labour Government would mean panic, declaring that labour stood for a balanced budget and set its face sternly against inflation as well as deflation. It aimed at a monetary policy of stabilisation and favoured international action in co-operation with other countries to deal with the world monetary problem.

Mr. MacDonald returned yesterday to his own constituency and had an enthusiastic reception at three meetings.

Mr. Baldwin, at York, said the great crisis had brought him and Mr. MacDonald together in one Government, and they would work together loyally.

Lord Irwin spoke at Doncaster in support of the National Government last night, declaring that the impression which Britain made on the world was of vital importance to world stability.

As Tuesday draws nearer all parties are concentrating on getting their supporters to the poll.

WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 5.20 p.m., stated:—

The typhoon is about 200 miles S.S.W. of the Bonins, moving east. The anti-cyclone centred over N. China is strengthening.

Local Forecast:—N.E. winds, moderate; fine to cloudy.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following typhoon warning has been received by the American Consulate-General from the Manila Observatory:

Manila, Oct. 24, 11 a.m.—Typhoon in about 135deg. Long. E. and 18deg. Lat. N., moving N.N.W.

SOVIET SUBMARINE MYSTERY.

COLLISION IN GULF OF FINLAND.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

HELSINGFORS, Oct. 25.

Mystery surrounds reports regarding a Soviet submarine which was sunk with a crew of fifty after collision with the German steamer Gratia in the Gulf of Finland.

The original report stated that all the submarine's crew had perished, but a subsequent Soviet radio message received here, however, claims the s.s. Gratia arrived at Kronstadt with all the submarine's crew aboard, while another radio message states the s.s. Gratia put back to Leningrad badly damaged.

"FIERY CROSS" QUELLED.

QUIETENING EFFECT OF BRITISH NAVY.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Oct. 23.

Cairo despatches indicate that the display of naval and military forces has effectively stamped out the Cyprus disturbances.

Shops are now reopending and the situation is rapidly returning to normal. The total casualties are stated to be one dead, eleven wounded.

A further Colonial Office statement on the situation reports disturbances in Paphos and riots in Limassol when the Commissioner's House was burnt.

The situation calmed down on the arrival of naval vessels this morning and is stated to be smoothing over generally though still unsettled.

No casualties are reported other than those in Wednesday night's riots, though one rioter has since died of his injuries.

"Certain political leaders of agitation for a union with Greece, who for some time have maintained an obstructive attitude to the Government and are now making desperate attempts to obtain publicity for their cause to break down the tendency towards understanding and co-operation for which the Government has been working, are behind the trouble. For this purpose, the criminal propensites of certain elements in the population have been exploited and on this occasion the situation passed completely beyond the control of the instigators."

Sir Ronald Storrs this morning telegraphed to military authorities in Egypt cancelling the order for the dispatch of a further company of infantry to Cyprus.

Mr. J. H. Thomas interviewed today said that although the reports were serious and showed that sinister influences were at work which required to be dealt with very firmly, there was no cause for apprehension and the situation was well in hand. His latest information was reassuring

Ringleaders Arrested.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NICOSIA, Oct. 24.

Five of the ringleaders in the Cyprus outbreak and Bishop Kitium have been arrested for deportation and taken aboard the cruiser London.

After the arrest of the Bishop the police fired on the crowd and three rioters are reported wounded. Marines and seamen landed at Larnaca, Famagusta, Nicosia and Paphos.

All news is being censored.

FALL IN SWISS FRANC.

FINANCE MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERNE, Oct. 23.

The value of the Swiss franc having steadily fallen in the last week, there have been rumours that Switzerland would be forced to abandon the gold standard.

The Finance Minister, in a broadcast statement this evening, however declared that the Swiss franc will remain firmly based on the gold standard.

ABOLISHING PARIS TRAMWAYS.

Paris.—Eleven more lines of Paris tramways will have been suppressed by the end of this year, giving place to motor-omnibuses. This change forms part of the continuous effort to solve the traffic problem in the capital.

By the beginning of 1935, 24 tramway lines will have disappeared in four years, thus greatly increasing the elasticity of movement in Paris streets.

UNIFICATION OF CHINA.

NANKING AND CANTON LEADERS AGREE.

(Chun Wan Yat Pao.)

SHANGHAI, Oct. 25.

The Nanking and Canton leaders are still continuing private conversations regarding unification. It is officially learned that complete agreement has been reached in regard to basic diplomatic policies, particularly in regard to the Manchurian affair.

The next move will be the holding of the Unification Conference whereby a unification Government will be formed in place of the present Nanking and Canton *régimes.*

According to Mr. Sun Fo, one of the Canton delegates, the Canton delegation is prepared to proceed to Nanking to attend the Unification Conference. They are merely awaiting the appointment of a delegation by the Nanking Government.

Marshal Chiang Kai Shek went to Shanghai again yesterday morning and after one hour's conversation with Mr. Chang Chi, who has been a mediator between Nanking and Canton, he came back to Nanking.

Li Tsai Hsin's New Post.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, Oct. 25.

Reports are current in local political circles that Marshal Li Tsai Hsin, who is now in Shanghai acting as mediator in the Canton-Nanking dispute, has been slated to head the military administration of the two Kwang Provinces after the formation of a unified national government in Nanking. The country will be divided into a number of military districts, over which a director will be appointed. Kwangtung and Kwangsi, according to the new scheme, forms one such district. The matter is being discussed at the peace conference in Shanghai, and full approval of it by both the Nanking and Canton delegations is expected.

CONGRESS DEMANDS FULL POWERS.

FURTHER DISCUSSIONS AT FEDERAL COMMITTEE.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Oct. 23.

During the discussion on the proposed Indian Federal Court, in the Round Table Federal Structure Committee to-day, Mr. Gandhi said he thought the Indian delegates' speeches displayed insufficient trust in themselves and the inability of an Indian National Government to conduct its affairs impartially.

The communal issue had also coloured the discussions. He differed entirely from the view that the construction would give anything more than the framework of the Federal Court and define its jurisdiction and start with judges to serve for a fixed period.

The rest should be left for the Federal Government to evolve. The fundamental belief of Congress was that India should have its own Privy Council. It based its policy on trust and confidence and believed that the supreme authority to be established in India should be responsible for appointing judges and for other matters to-day belonging to the Crown.

Other speakers included Sir P. C. Mitter, who regarded Delhi as an unsuitable residence for the Federal Court, and Mr. Zafarullah Khan, who urged that the prerogative of the Crown as exercised by the Privy Council should be left alone. Sir Akbar Hydari urged that the appointment of judges should be made by the Crown.

MARLENE DIETRICH HONOURED.

HOLLYWOOD MEDAL AWARDED FOR WORK IN "MOROCCO."

Berlin, October 10.—The Press records with gratification the unanimous decision of the Hollywood "Academy of Film Art" to award the first of its five annual medals for the best performances in 1930 to Marlene Dietrich for her brilliant work in "Morocco."

"After having conquered the hearts of the American movie fans, our Marlene has now received official recognition of her art," the "Film Courier," Germany's leading trade journal, declares. According to the "Filmwoche," the bestowal of the medal betokens a fierce battle for American popularity between Marlene Dietrich and Greta Garbo in favour of the German star."

Week End Sport.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL PROGRAMME CARRIED OUT IN FINE WEATHER.

KOWLOON LEADING IN SENIOR DIVISION: ARGYLLS OVERWHELM ST. JOSEPH'S.

HOWE DOES THE HAT-TRICK AGAINST KOWLOON: RECREIO BEAT ROYAL AIR FORCE.

A full league football season was carried out under ideal weather conditions on Saturday and among those who figured in the winning teams in the first division were Borderers, Royal Navy, Argylls and Kowloon. The last named were fortunate to beat the Club whose centre-forward, Howe, performed the "hat-trick."

The Borderers scored an easy win over the Club in the second division while Recreio had an easy time in their match with R.A.F.

Kowloon now top the senior division while the Argylls are leading in the second division and Recreio, with maximum points for three matches played, head the third division.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

DIVISION I.

Borderers	3	Recreio	1
Police	1	Royal Navy	3
St. Joseph's	1	Argylls	6
Club	3	Kowloon	4

DIVISION II.

Borderers	6	Club	1
Royal Navy	0	Argylls	1
R.A.O.C.	6	University	2
12th Batt. R.A.	3	Kowloon	1

DIVISION III.

R.A.F.	0	Recreio	3
R.E.	1	Borderers	2
St. Joseph's	6	Radio	3

DIVISION I.

CLUB v. KOWLOON.

Despite the fact that Howe, the Club centre-forward scored three goals in this match, the Kowloonites were not to be denied and scored four goals in reply to take full points.

Play was uninteresting until Howe, ran through the Kowloon defence to give Nicholls no chance with a lightning shot.

Duncan, at wing half for Kowloon had the Club left flank bottled up for three parts of the game, and fed Dominy well. Grimwood equalised with a pretty shot. Kowloon tried hard for the lead, but Pile and Strange were playing a splendid game and well supported Rodgers, who brought off some effective saves. A smart inside movement, however, resulted in Timberlake finding the net and this player repeated the dose a few minutes later.

Howe played a very good game and soon got another two goals to put his side on level terms. After this Kowloon's forwards were well in the limelight but the Club defence worked hard and bulked any shots that were sent in, until Ianson put the ball past Rodgers, to give Kowloon the lead. At this period Rodgers was playing a marvellous game and it was decidedly unfortunate for him to be beaten by such an easy effort. Close on time Strange ran almost the length of the field with the ball to put Alexander away, but Dowman cleared.

The teams were:—

Club: Rodgers; Pile, Strange; Railton, Skinner, Baldwin; Alexander, Bell, Howe, S. Strang, Jackson.

Kowloon: Nicholls; Martin, Dowman; Duncan, McKelvie, Bliss; Dominy, Hedley, Timberlake, Grimwood, Ianson.

BORDERERS v. RECREIO.

The splendid goal-keeping of Marques was the feature of this match, and but for his efforts the Borderers would undoubtedly have won by a bigger margin than 3—1. A. V. Gosano at centre-half played a great game but his forwards failed to make full use of the passes he gave them.

The Borderers, on the other hand, seized every opportunity to shoot but Marques kept goal splendidly.

The Borderers favoured the open and long passing game and ten minutes before the interval they scored through Harris, who dashed in from the right wing to meet a centre. Recreio took the ball down to the other end and were awarded a penalty when A. Gosano scored.

The Borderers took up the running throughout the second half and gave an overworked defence a harassing time. The Recreio fought back stubbornly but proved weak in the attack. Combined work on the part of the Borderers' right wing resulted in Davis scoring and before the end Harris scored their third goal.

The teams were:—

Borderers: Johnson; Mullane, Morrison; Morgan, Eynon, Underwood; Harris, Davis, Sgt. Harris, Lakeman and Duncan.

Recreio: Marques; Silva-Netto, S. Sousa; Beltrao, A. Gosano, Remedios; Victor, C. Gosano, Roza-Pereira, Ward, and A. Sousa.

NAVY v. POLICE.

These teams met on the Kowloon ground, and, fielding a much stronger side, the sailors won by the margin of 3 goals to 1. From the start the Navy adopted the offensive and the Police defence were given a trying time. The first half, however, terminated with neither side scoring.

In the second half, the Navy raided the Police goal time and again, and corners came in abundance. Skinner, on the left tried a shot which skimmed the crossbar, and the Navy left wing had most of the play, and it was from this wing that the ball was sent to Dickenson to open the scoring for the Navy. Pester, scored the second goal and from this point onwards the Navy had matters their own way for a little bit, and nearly went further ahead, Dickenson pushing the ball in with his hands. The Police came into the picture now and managed to force two fruitless corners. The Navy made a strong attack and Dickenson beat Fraser with a first timer. The Police were giving a free kick for hands against Pearce, and Channings lobbed the ball into the goalmouth, for Savage to punch it into his own net.

The scores were:—

Navy: Savage; Dixon, Carter; Gatehouse, Pearce, James; Robertson, Scorer, Dickenson, Pester and Skinner.

Police: Fraser; Pekins, Brittain; Jessop, Channings, Sheppard; Pile, Wheeler, Moss, Bentley and Williams.

ST. JOSEPH'S v. ARGYLLS.

St. Joseph's were no match for the strong Argylls eleven and were defeated by six goals to one.

The Scots were a good combination, having brought in Louden for McTavish and Dogherty at left back and after the Saints had taken an early lead through Omar, the Argylls soon recovered and went quickly ahead through Wylie and Louden, and held that lead until the interval. On resuming the soldiers monopolized the game and many free kicks were given to them for bad tackles by the Saints' defenders. After Lamont had put them further ahead, Louden converted a penalty, which was awarded for a rough tackle. Before the end Hughes scored twice.

The teams were:—

St. Joseph's: B. Sousa; Gomes, Delgado; Coste, Castilho, Guterres; Ali, Omar, D. Leonard, Fernandes, Sousa.

Argylls: Hastie; Blackburn, Dogherty; McGlashan, Hay, Melville; Christie, Wylie, Louden, Lamont, Hughes.

DIVISION II.

ARGYLLS v. NAVY.

The second encounter between these two teams again resulted in a win for the Argylls.

King gave the soldiers the lead early in the first half but thereafter play was very even and neither team could get through with the result that the soldiers won by the only goal scored in the match.

The teams were:—

Navy: Wilson; Frame, Little; Burke, Ratcliff, Martin; Lowden, Packer, Langmead, Morrison, Green.

Argylls: McFarlane; Grant, Frazer; Boyland, Bruce, McDonald; Hogarth, Davidson, King, Alexander, Maxwell.

BORDERERS v. CLUB.

The Borderers were much too strong for the Club and scored 6 goals against the Club's one.

In the first half the soldiers got two goals through Channing and Parsons, and after the interval Morris, and Mathias scored two goals each while Reid scored for the Club.

The teams were:—

Borderers: Vaughan; Suter, Williams; Bebbington, Channing, Wallace; Hamlyn, Morgan, Parsons, Morris and Mathias.

Club: Fogwill; Hynes, Poutoloff; Hooper, Puncheon, Sloan; Krilovsky, Tavlin, Reid, Railton and Farrow.

R.A. v. KOWLOON.

On the Kowloon ground the home team were beaten by the 12th Heavy Battery R.A., by three goals to one.

In the first half the Gunners held a lead by the odd goal in three. After the interval the soldiers scored another, those responsible for the goals being, Frearson, More and Walker for the winners and White for Kowloon.

The teams were:—

12th Bty.: Herd; Hall; Taylor; Pardoe, Gough, Gardner; Woods, Rodgers, Frearson, Moore and Walker.

Kowloon: Gurevitch, Wells, London; Everett, Williams, I. Greenberg; M. Greenberg, Whitfield, White, Simpson and Bickford.

R.A.O.C. v. UNIVERSITY.

At Chatham Road the Ordnance, newcomers to the Second Division, proved a little too good for the 'Varsity. The game was very keen and clean, with Ordnance having the upper hand throughout.

Kho got two goals for the University while Sands (2), Ainslie (2) and Sansom scored for the winners.

The teams were:—

R.A.O.C.: Osborne; Brennan, Hamer; Craggs, Jackson, Cox; Sansom, Dolan, Ainslie, Sands and Dixon.

'Varsity: Yong Hong Chui; Harrison, Ng; Loh, Reid, Beo; Ong, Wong, Ho, Kho and Wu.

DIVISION III.

ST. JOSEPH'S v. RADIO.

St. Joseph's did not have as easy a match with the Radio Sports Club as the score of 6-3 in their favour would suggest. They got an early lead through Vempin, and shortly afterwards were fortunate to get a second goal through Lim. Up to this point the Radio team had been playing well, but this dual reverse seemed to upset them and they slacked for a bit. Sim added a third goal for St. Joseph, but from this point the Radio team scored two goals through Sing and Elms. St. Joseph, however, added three more goals in the closing stages of the game, their opponents replying with a goal through Elms.

R.A.F. v. RECREIO.

The Club de Recreio won by three clear goals from the airmen and showed far more speed and agility than their opponents. The first half was evenly contested and both sides were unable to score, but with the heavier team tiring fast in the second half, the nippy Portuguese team scored three goals, all of which came from Gomes.

R.E. v. BORDERERS.

Playing on the Chatham Road ground, the Royal Engineers went under to the Borderers by two goals to one. The goals for the Borderers were obtained through Rice and Pritchard while Moss scored the only goal for the Royal Engineers.

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Kowloon	4	3	0	1	10	6	6
Argylls	3	2	1	0	9	3	5
Borderers	2	2	0	0	7	1	4
Navy	3	2	0	1	7	5	4
Club	3	1	1	1	14	7	3
Police	2	0	1	0	2	4	1
Recreio	4	0	1	3	3	9	1
St. Joseph's	3	0	0	3	4	21	0

Division II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Argylls	3	3	0	0	9	2	6
Kowloon	3	2	0	1	10	4	4
Borderers	3	2	0	1	13	9	4
R.A.O.C.	2	2	0	1	7	6	2
Navy	3	1	0	2	5	7	2
Club	3	1	0	2	4	10	2
12th Bty.	3	1	0	2	8	10	2
University	2	0	0	2	3	9	0

Division III.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Recreio	3	3	0	0	17	1	6
Borderers	3	2	0	1	3	5	4
St. Joseph's	1	1	0	0	6	3	2
R.E.	3	1	0	2	5	9	2
R.A.F.	1	0	0	1	0	3	0
Radio	3	0	0	3	7	23	0

THIRD INTERPORT TRIAL.

SAYER PLAYS UNDEFEATED INNINGS.

There was a typical cricket afternoon last Saturday, bright but not too hot, while the wicket, thanks no doubt to the mid-week rain, was very much better than it was the week before. T. E. Pearce has not I regret to learn been particularly well these last few days, and he stood down, thus giving an extra place, while Ride is still on the injured list. I regret to hear that Williams, the R.E. and S. fast bowler, has met with an injury at hockey which will prevent his playing cricket for about a month. I don't think he was likely to get in but he definitely stood a chance. Batger came in and N. A. E. Mackay.

Owen Hughes' side went in to bat and Richardson and Duckitt opened cautiously against Bowker and Mirehouse. Apart from a short ball on Richardson's body, which the batsman put away nicely for four, in the first over he bowled very wide of the off stick, and though beating the batsmen fairly often he failed to hit the sticks. Both showed greater caution than usual in leaving the off ball alone. Both batsmen got nice fours from Bowker past cover, but one if not both should have been saved. Mirehouse finally broke the stand at 38, when Duckitt tried to turn a well pitched up one and was l.b.w. for 18. A. this time Hamilton, who bowls a nice easy action with a short run and medium fast pace, succeeded Bowker and was quickly successful.

A Collapse.

An over or so later Musson relieved Mirehouse and wickets fell fast and furiously. Mitchell nibbled at an off one from Hamilton and was smartly caught low down by Hancock at first slip. Zimmern began to play a confident hard hitting game but the other end saw a succession of changes. Richardson forgot his caution and dabbed at a rising one and Batger at third slip apparently secured the ball eventually in the crook of his left elbow—a quick catch. 48-3-20. Then it was Musson's turn, and he had Pereira smartly caught at the wicket. Zimmern aided by a bit of luck had knocked up 15, but at 68 he had a tremendous beat at Musson and though he touched the ball it went on to hit the sticks. 68-5-15. At the same score Robson, was caught at the wicket. Worse was to come, however, as Hamilton yorked Anderson, off-stick, and Alan Reid in trying to hit Musson gave E. C. Fincher an easy chance in the deep. 74-8-0. Thus seven wickets had fallen for thirty-eight runs.

"More Better."

At this point Hamilton had three for twenty and Musson four for thirteen, but for some reason Beck and Goodwin (chiefly Goodwin) proceeded to clump them all over the field. Goodwin was particularly hard on Musson and hit him for one big six which bounced on the tram-lines and bounced about fifteen yards inside Murray Parade Ground. Hancock gave his bowlers a good spell (he would, of course, have changed them earlier in a real match) but nothing went right for them. Bowker and Batger finally went on and Goodwin greeted the latter by driving him very low and hard to long on, sending the ball nearly to the Hong Kong Bank I understand. At 135 Owen Hughes declared after the spectators had thoroughly enjoyed the fireworks which put on 61 runs. Goodwin should have been caught by Hancock at first slip off Bowker but he was unsighted by the wicket keeper. Beck at the end was playing really good cricket shots, as he does once he gets going.

Sayer Shines.

Owen Hughes started with the new ball and in his first three overs had Batger smartly caught at forward short leg by Robson and Fincher but hanging, whereby a simple c and b resulted. He went off then for Reid. Pereira was hurling them down at the other end but he did not get any nibbles, and Griffiths and Sayer played the straight ones. Sayer all through his knock was playing a sort of dab shot on the off. It looks appalling but I noticed that in spite of the number of times he played it, he either missed the ball clean or came down on top of it to push it away through the gully to third man. Griffiths played some lovely off shots square of Reid but he was beaten a good many times playing forward at the leg breaks and having the luck to avoid either touching them, or getting his stumps hit. He leg hit well but lifted them a good bit and the way he lifted one to Richardson who had been moved there especially that over by Reid was the height of either simplicity or politeness. He had played a very sound knock by far the best I have seen him put up. Sayer was playing nice free cricket and Hamilton who came in shaped excellently until he tried to cut a long hop from Goodwin right through Owen Hughes, with the usual result. Two balls later Younger played outside an off break from Goodwin and was bowled.

A Good Debut.

Mackay really made an excellent debut in big cricket. He kept very well indeed and batted excellently. He has undoubtedly got hold of some more shots on the off and retained his leg hitting. He did not seem nervous in any way and ran up eighteen when he was brilliantly caught by Owen Hughes wide to the left off a low hit. 102-6-18. He had hit three fours. Sayer had been scoring freely and running some pretty short runs and when Hancock came in this continued. Hancock has all his old style and grace but he does not seem to place the ball as clear of the fielder as he used but he is, of course, short of practice. No further wicket fell and, as the light was failing, play stopped when the batting side were three runs short of their opponents' total.

I will deal with the criticism generally on Friday, if I don't get crowded out again! If so Saturday. (Here the Editor considers himself rebuked; more in sorrow than in anger.)

B. ABBIT.

Full score and analysis:—

First Innings of Owen Hughes' Side.

J. E. Richardson, c Batger, b Hamilton	20
E. R. Duckitt, l.b.w., b Mirehouse	18
E. J. R. Mitchell, c Hancock, b Hamilton	0
E. Zimmern, b Musson	15
F. D. Pereira, c Mackay, b Musson	3
D. J. N. Anderson, b Hamilton	0
L/C. Robson, c Mackay, b Musson	0
A. Reid, c Fincher, b Musson	0
A. C. Beck, not out	27
F. Goodwin, not out	30
Extras (byes 6, leg byes 4)	10
Total (for 8 wickets)	135

H. Owen Hughes did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1/38; 2/39; 3/46; 4/51; 5/68; 6/68; 7/68; 8/74.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. C. I. Bowker	7	1	24	0
Capt. Mirehouse	8	4	14	1
A. C. Hamilton	12	2	46	3
A. H. Musson	8	1	32	4
A. H. Batger	2	0	9	0

(Continued on next Column.)

First Innings of Mr. Hancock's Eleven.

K. H. Batger, c Robson, b Owen Hughes	0
E. C. Fincher, c and b Owen Hughes	0
G. R. Sayer, not out	59
R. H. Griffiths, c Richardson, b Reid	26
A. C. Hamilton, c Owen Hughes, b Goodwin	11
O. B. Younger, b Goodwin	0
N. A. E. Mackay, c Owen Hughes, b Goodwin	18
R. H. B. Hancock, not out	7
Extras (byes 8, wide 1, no balls 2)	11
Total (for 6 wickets)	132

O. G. Simpson, A. H. Musson, A. C. I. Bowker, and Capt. Mirehouse did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1/0; 2/1; 3/30; 4/62; 5/62; 6/102.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
*F. D. Pereira	7	5	7	0
H. Owen Hughes	3	1	10	2
A. Reid	5	0	32	1
A. C. Beck	4	0	23	0
F. Goodwin	5	1	23	3
†L/C. Robson	2	0	5	0
E. R. Duckitt	3	0	9	0
*J. E. Ricardson	2	0	7	0

*—Bowled 1 no ball.
†—Bowled 1 wide.

SOUTH AFRICANS WIN AGAIN.

SPRINGBOK'S FORTY-ONE POINT WIN.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 24.

The South African Rugby team beat a combined Durham and Northumberland fifteen by 41 points to *nil* at Sunderland.

SOUTH AFRICANS IN AUSTRALIA.

PLAY DRAWN GAME AT PERTH.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PERTH, Oct. 24.

The match between the South Africans and Western Australia at Perth ended in a draw. Batting first the South Africans declared at 151 for 3, Dalton making 53 not out. Western Australia replied with 159 for 7, Bromley being top scorer with 78 while McMillan took 4 wickets for 38 runs.

WORLD'S SPEED RECORD.

OFFICIAL FIGURES OF STAINFORTH'S FLIGHT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Oct. 24.

The Royal Aero Club has been informed by the International Aero-Nautical Federation that Flight Lieut. Stainforth's world speed record is 655 kilometres per hour, or 407½ miles per hour.

MILLION STERLING SWEEPSTAKE.

IRISH SWEEP ON THE MANCHESTER HANDICAP.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 24.

Prize money in the Irish Sweepstake on the Manchester November Handicap is at present a million sterling.

OLYMPIC GAMES.

DUTCH F.A.'S GENEROUS DONATION.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 24.

Holland has been enabled to participate in the Los Angeles Olympic Games through the generosity of the Dutch Football Association, which is contributing 10,000 florins towards the expenses.

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LEAGUE CRICKET.

WINS FOR UNIVERSITY AND KOWLOON.

SIX FRIENDLIES DECIDED.

There were two league cricket matches in the second division over the week-end which saw the University and Kowloon taking full points from R.E. and S. and Royal Army Service Corps respectively.

Apart from the above, there were six other games (all friendlies) in addition to the interport trial, and on the whole followers of cricket were treated to some very interesting games. The second division of the league is well under way now and although it was at first predicted that the R.E. and S. would take some beating in the race for the championship, their defeats at the hands of the Indians and University have seriously jeopardised their chances for championship honours.

LEAGUE—DIVISION II.

WIN FOR KOWLOON.

Five Knock by Lawrence.

Playing at home, K.C.C. beat R.A.S.C. by 62 runs.

The winners had first knock when they compiled 180 for 5, thanks mainly to a fine effort by Lawrence who hit very hard for 91 runs not out. Skinner made 31 in fine style.

The Service Corps could only muster 124 in reply, Cole being top-scorer with 29 while Skinner took 4 wickets for 31 runs for the K.C.C.

The scores were:—

K.C.C.

F. E. Lawrence, not out ...	91
F. S. W. Smith, b Reynolds ...	18
A. R. F. Raven, c Cole, b Hirst	10
F. E. Skinner, c Cole, b Fry ...	31
Geo. Lee, c Andrews, b Hirst ...	7
G. A. V. Hall, b Cadman ...	3
D. S. Green, not out ...	8
Extras (B.9, W.B.2, N.B.1)	12
Total (for 5 wkts. dec.)	180

O. B. Raven, G. A. White, R. G. N. Mead and H. Overy did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1 for 24, 2 for 29, 3 for 128, 4 for 143, 5 for 173.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cole ...	9	0	39	0
Reynolds ...	6	0	24	1
Fry ...	5	0	33	1
Pamplin ...	6	0	30	0
Hirst ...	4	0	15	2
Cadman ...	6	1	24	1

R.A.S.C.

W. O. Pamplin, b Smith ...	17
Hirst, l.bw., b F. E. Skinner	2
Fry, run out ...	20
Cadman, b F. E. Skinner ...	0
Cole, c Green, b Lee ...	29
Reynolds, l.b.w., b Lee ...	0
Andrews, c Green, b Overy ...	25
Skipp, c White, b Overy ...	10
Castelon, c Lawrence, b Skinner	2
Mackay, not out ...	0
Doyle, c Raven, b Skinner ...	2
Extras (B.16, N.B.1) ...	17
Total ...	124

Fall of wickets:—1 for 23, 2 for 23, 3 for 23, 4 for 76, 5 for 77, 6 for 78, 7 for 96, 8 for 118, 9 for 122, 10 for 124.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Skinner ...	6.2	0	31	4
Smith ...	5	2	16	1
G. Lee ...	5	0	25	2
Overy ...	3	0	21	2
Raven ...	2	0	14	0

MEEHAN AND NOMANBHOY BOWL WELL.

'Varsity Take Points from R.E. and S.

At Pokfulam the University beat R.E. and S. by one wicket.

The visitors batted first and made 69 runs, Nomanbhoy taking 5 wickets for 33 runs.

Faced with this small total, the undergraduates started none too well but they eventually passed their opponents' total with one wicket in hand. Meehan (5 for 33) was the most successful bowler for the visitors.

The scores were:—

R.E. and S.

Cpl. Meehan, b Nomanbhoy ...	1
Sgm. Gillott, c Ng, b Silva ...	12
Lt. Anstruther, b Nomanbhoy	10
Lt. Gough, c. Gosano, b Nomanbhoy ...	3
Lt.-Col. Marsden, b Nomanbhoy	3
Cpl. Saunders, Stumped Ng, b Nomanbhoy ...	4
Sgm. Chaffey, run out ...	4
Spr. Holmes, b Silva ...	8
Spr. Waldron, not out ...	11
L/Cpl. Higgins, run out ...	1
Sgt. Denvall, run out ...	5
Extras (Byes 5, No Balls 2)	7
Total ...	69

Fall of wickets:—1 for 1, 2 for 13, 3 for 17, 4 for 30, 5 for 34, 6 for 36, 7 for 49, 8 for 49, 9 for 56, 10 for 69.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
P. L. Tan ...	3	0	17	0
H. Nomanbhoy ...	7	0	33	5
P. M. N. da Silva	4.2	1	12	2

University.

G. Scully, b Anstruther ...	11
P. M. N. da Silva, c Higgins, b Anstruther ...	1
H. Nomanbhoy, b Meehan ...	3
A. A. Aziz, b Meehan ...	0
R. Leong, b Meehan ...	11
P. L. Tan, c Marsdn, b Anstruther ...	5
F. Hiptoola, c Waldron, b Anstruther ...	5
E. Gosano, b Meehan ...	17
M. Yayabhoy, l.b.w., b Meehan	3
D. Hunt, c Saunders, b Holmes	16
B. K. Ng, not out ...	3
Extras (Byes 10, Leg Byes 1)	11
Total ...	86

Fall of wickets:—1 for 4, 2 for 7, 3 for 13, 4 for 21, 5 for 31, 6 for 37, 7 for 41, 8 for 49, 9 for 68, 10 for 86.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	O.	M.	R.	M.
Anstruther ...	14	5	26	4
Meehan ...	14	4	33	5
Holmes ...	1.3	0	12	1
Saunders ...	1	0	4	0

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

S. V. GITTINS BATS WELL.

Civil Service Beaten by Neighbours.

Craigengower entertained their neighbours and won easily by four wickets.

The C.S.C.C. batted first when they made 113, R. M. Wood being top-scorer with 29, while Gittins took 4 wickets for 19 runs.

Thanks to a fine effort by S. V. Gittins (70, not out) Craigengower passed their opponents score with four wickets to spare.

CHAMPIONS WIN AT HOME.

I.R.C. Skipper In Form.

Playing at home, the Indian Recreation Club beat the University by 56 runs.

The home team had first use of the wicket and, thanks to a fine innings by their skipper, A. A. Rumjahn (35), totalled 113. For the 'Varsity "Tinker" Lee bowled well to take 6 wickets for 30 runs.

When they went in to bat the undergraduates found the bowling of the home team too good for them and were consequently all out for 57 runs, of which total A. T. Lee claimed 28. A. A. Rumjahn took 3 wickets for as many runs while Minu had 4 for 16.

A. E. WOOD PLAYS PRETTY INNINGS.

Win for C.S.C.C. Seconds.

On their own ground, the Civil Service seconds, beat C.C.C. 2nd XI by 42 runs.

The home team had first knock and a feature of their innings was the fine batting of A. E. Wood who made 42 runs in a pretty manner. The side totalled 159.

Craigengower replied with only 117, of which total R. Sourbutts claimed 37. Bowling honours were shared by the C.S.C.C. bowlers.

D.B.S. DRAW WITH NAVY.

Two Half-Centuries.

The match between the Royal Navy and Diocesan Boys' School at King's Park resulted in a draw.

Taking first knock, the senior service declared at 158 with 6 wickets down, Lieut.-Comdr. Shaw topping the list with a well-played 66.

The school started shakily but improved later and when stumps were drawn they had 118 for 6 N. Whitley played a gallant knock for 55 not out against some fairly good bowling. Boyle (3 for 20) returned the best analysis for the sailors.

G.E.R. DIVETT'S FINE KNOCK.

Club Seconds Win at Sookunpoo.

Thanks to a fine innings by G.E.R. Divett, who made 65 before retiring, the Club seconds beat South Wales Borderers by six wickets at Sookunpoo.

The soldiers batted first and made 138, Capt. Wales being the highest scorer with 31. Hepburn (3 for 11) was the most successful bowler for the Club.

The Club started shakily but Divett's fine knock changed the whole complexion of the game and eventually enabled his side to win with six wickets in hand. Lt. Barlow bowled well to take 3 wickets for 31 runs for the soldiers.

I.R.C. LOSE TO POLICE.

Loughlin Hits Up 35.

The Indians were entertained by the Police who beat their guests by two wickets.

Batting first, the Sookunpoo team were all out for 94 runs, S. Ismail being top-scorer with a well-played 28. Minty and Baker bowled well for the Police, each taking four wickets for 20 runs.

The home team would have been in a sorry plight but for a good innings by Loughlin who made 35 runs. This was largely responsible for their victory over the Sookunpoo men. A. R. Abbas was the most successful bowler for the Indians with 3 for 19.

LAWN BOWLS.

POLICE DEPARTMENT BEAT THE PRISONS.

GOSCOMBE-O'SULLIVAN CUP FINAL.

The final lawn bowls game in the Inter-Departmental Competition for the Goscombe-O'Sullivan Cup was played yesterday between the Police and Prisons Departments. Three members of the Prisons team were actually bowlers of the Police Recreation Club, and their temporary break-away to serve their own Department, with the intention nevertheless of defeating the Police, did not succeed, although it was a close thing seeing that the Police won by a single shot. It was an exciting game with the Prisons drawing level on two occasions and holding the lead when they scored a five.

Teams and scores in detail were as under:—

Police.	Prisons.
J. Orem	T. Gooding
C. N. Reynolds	A. J. Johnston
J. Shepherd	G. L. Buchanan
W. Mair, (Skip)	J. C. West

Heads.	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1.	1	1	—	—
2.	—	—	1	1
3.	2	3	—	1
4.	1	4	—	1
5.	2	6	—	1
6.	—	6	1	2
7.	—	6	2	4
8.	2	8	—	4
9.	1	9	—	4
10.	—	9	2	6
11.	—	9	2	8
12.	—	9	1	9
13.	3	12	—	9
14.	2	14	—	9
15.	2	16	—	9
16.	—	16	3	12
17.	—	16	1	13
18.	1	17	—	13
19.	—	17	5	18
20.	3	20	—	18
21.	—	20	1	19

Trophy Presented.

Addressing the gathering, Mr. R. R. Wood, who has been looking after this competition with marked success for a number of years, thanked the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn for being present to hand over the Cup to the winners.

Mr. Wood also thanked the Committee of the Police Recreation Club for allowing the use of their ground for the Inter-Departmental games, and he remarked that the green was in excellent condition.

The trophy and miniature cups were presented to the Police team by Mr. Southorn, who congratulated them on their win. He said that the idea of having lawn bowls games between the various Government departments was a good idea as it helped to bring them together.

A hearty vote of tanks was passed to Mr. Wood for his services as Secretary in the running of the competition. Three cheers and a "tiger" were accorded to Mr. Southorn.

GOLF.

WIN FOR MEDICOS.

In the final tie of the summer foursomes held by the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club, Dr. I. Newton and Dr. J. A. R. Selby beat Messrs. L. Goldman and G. Miskin, 2 and 1.

COLONY'S FINANCES.

FIGURES FOR JULY.

The Colony's credit balance at the end of July showed an improvement, being $10,881,398, compared with $10,565,014 at the end of June.

Revenue for July totalled $3,255,771, against $2,340,118 for the same month last year. For the seven months, the total was $19,068,157, compared with $14,669,800 in 1930.

The expenditure for July amounted to $2,939,387, against $2,676,671 last year whilst for the seven months the outgoings were $17,548,438, compared with $13,897,890 in 1930.

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Eng Lee, Chinese str., 865 tons, Capt. H. Maki, from Canton, buoy No. B10.—Yee Tai Hong.

Haldis, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. W. Lee, from Hongay, Hok Uen Anchorage.—Wo Fat Sing.

Hermod, Norwegian str., 840 tons, Capt. S. B. Eliassen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B12.—Thoresen & Co.

Huichow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. E. M. Gellie, from Weihaiwei, buoy No. B3.—B. & S.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

Kwai Sang, British str., 1,435 tons, Capt. P. Powitt, from Canton, buoy No. B1.—J.M. & Co.

Kweiyang, British str., 1,850 tons, Capt. A. Cook, from Hoihow, buoy No. B16.—B. & S.

Meriones, British str., 4,608 tons, Capt. T. W. Hanney, from Singapore, Holt's Wharf.—B. & S.

Moncalieri, Italian str., 3,240 tons, Capt. Stanzani, from Shanghai, buoy No. A7.—Dodwell & Co.

President Cleveland, American str., 9,303 tons, Capt. G. W. Yardley, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—American Mail Line.

Ryujin Maru, Japanese str., 901 tons, Capt. N. Kitano, from Keelung, Yaumati Anchorage.—M.B.K.

Solviken, Norwegian str., 1,435 tons, Capt. N. Norvalls, from Canton, Taikoo Dock.—Sing Kee.

Szechuen, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. S. M. Barling, from Canton, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Tonkin, French str., 906 tons, Capt. J. Bonnninur, from Fort Bayard, buoy No. B9.—M.M. & Co.

Wing Wo, Portuguese str., 495 tons, Capt. J. D. de Lemos, from Kwang-chow-wan, buoy No. B11.—Wo Hop & Co.

Yuen Sang, British str., 1,083 tons, Capt. J. W. Pettigrew, from Osaka, buoy No. B22.—J.M. & Co.

October 25.

Antung, British str., 2,107 tons, Capt. D. Lupton, from Amoy, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Chipshing, British str., 1,199 tons, Capt. D. S. Pethick, from Chefoo, buoy No. B2.—J. M. & Co.

Etha Rickmers, German str., 3,228 tons, Capt. J. Prahm, from Manila, Stonecutters Anchorage.—Siemssen & Co.

Haining, British str., 832 tons, Capt. A. H. Stewart, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Haukefjell, Norwegian str., 1,426 tons, Capt. S. Andersen, from Chinwangtao, buoy No. B25.—Dodwell & Co.

Hopsang, British str., 1,350 tons, Capt. P. R. Gay Cuming, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Kronviken, Norwegian str., 1,519 tons, Capt. T. Kvamme, from Sandakan, Yaumati Anchorage.—Wallem & Co.

Lushan Maru, Japanese str., 1,507 tons, Capt. R. Nagayama, from Swatow, Stonecutters Anchorage.—N.Y.K.

Soochow, British str., 1,504 tons, Capt. H. Gifford, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.

Tchekam, Chinese str., 806 tons, Capt. Lai Yu, from K. C. Wan, buoy No. B10.—Wo On & Co.

Tjibadak, Dutch str., 7,803 tons, Capt. J. J. Duit, from Amoy, buoy No. A1.—J.C.J.L.

October 23.

Hong Peng, British str., 2,525 tons, Capt. C. Cowan, from Singapore, buoy No. A6.—Ho Thong & Co.

Siberhet, Dutch str., 1,011 tons, Capt. Bakker, from Safarinda, Yaumati Anchorage.—J.C.J.L.

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WORLD AGAINST JAPAN?

(*Continued from Page* 11.)

The Council meeting was not kept waiting this evening—as it has been on some previous occasions.

Mr. Yoshizawa, the Japanese delegate-in-chief, was there in good time, amicably shaking hands with all members of the Council before the proceedings were opened.

Position Unchanged.

Dr. Alfred Sze was the last to arrive. He had been busy with his assistants deciphering his cabled instructions from Nanking.

The sitting opened at 6.20 p.m. and the public part of the Hall was crowded with spectators anxious to witness the closing scenes of the drama.

Commenting on the proposed resolution, calling on Japan to withdraw her troops by November 16, Dr. Alfred Sze said the Chinese Government had hoped the Council would have found it possible to obtain such withdrawal ere this, but a month had passed and the situation remained unchanged despite the fact that a representative of the United States was now present with the Council.

He expressed the opinion that the delay in the Japanese evacuation was very long since the occupation. It had already lasted five weeks and he had received news only that morning that the Japanese had again dropped bombs from aeroplanes on Chinese property.

Moreover, he said, every hour of the continued occupation that passed might produce regrettable incidents.

The Chinese Government, would take further measures in regard to the protection of Japanese nationals, but as long as the occupation continued he feared that the feeling against the Japanese would endure, while a withdrawal of the troops would probably effect a most salutory change in public opinion.

He added that he understood the evacuation of Manchuria should include all military and semi-military units (such as the police gendarmes) and aircraft, and it must be understood that all Chinese property confiscated since September 18 must be restored. The embargo on the Chinese authorities and banks must cease.

Dr. Sze expressed the opinion that the withdrawal of the Japanese troops should be followed by the fixing of the responsibility for the events of September 18. Any discussions between China and the other Powers must be based on the Kellogg Pact, the League Covenant and the Washington Treaty of 1922.

Japan's Counter-Proposals.

Mr. Yoshizawa, who followed, said that the Japanese Government has drawn up counter-proposals to the Council's resolution, demanding a previous agreement, between the Chinese and Japanese Government on the fundamental principles governing normal relations before proceeding to withdraw the Japanese troops.

The Japanese Government would also submit that the withdrawal must be supervised by representatives of the Chinese and Japanese Governments and not by neutrals.

The first three paragraphs of the Japanese counter-proposal are exactly similar to those of the Council's draft resolution, except that the first sentence **now reads**: "... Council notes that this declaration conforms to the spirit of the League Covenant."

It goes on to recommend that the Chinese Government and the Japanese Government immediately confer with a view to effecting such an understanding as Japan requests.

Dealing with the Council's draft resolution, Mr. Yoshizawa said the Japanese Government was unable to fix any precise date for the withdrawal of troops, but held that their continued presence was by no means due to a desire to exert pressure on China, but was merely an obligation due to the existing conditions.

Mr. Yoshizawa again emphasised that the Japanese Government has no territorial ambitions in Manchuria and firmly intends to withdraw her troops to the Railway Zone as soon as circumstances permitted this to be done without grave dangers arising.

Chinese Authorities Powerless.

He declared that in view of the disorder in Manchuria at the present time, it was manifest that the Chinese authorities were simply powerless to repress this disorder in regions which they controlled. Above all, in view of the danger which, in the present state of excitement, might prevent the presence of Chinese forces in proximity to Japanese troops, the Japanese Government did not consider it possible to fix a precise date when the last of the Japanese troops would have been brought back to the railway zone.

This, however, did not mean that the Japanese Government had not the firm intention of withdrawing them, nor did it mean that the Japanese Government desired to leave them where they were to obtain from China new concessions or special privileges of any kind.

Mr. Yoshizawa said that the Japanese Government admitted that at present they seriously doubted the efficacy of the guarantees proposed by the Council. The Japanese Government considered it absolutely necessary that there should be an appeasement in feelings.

The Japanese Government did not object to beginning direct negotiations regarding the questions pending between the two governments. The moment the Chinese Government desired, the Japanese Government was always ready to reply to suggestions for their solution.

The Japanese Government considers that the questions to be dealt with in the forthcoming negotiations might easily be settled between the two governments.

Mr. Yoshizawa concluded by expressing the hope that the Council would trust its goodwill and proven loyalty to the league.

Dr. Alfred Sze declined to accept the Japanese counter-proposals to the League resolution.

Position Summed Up.

M. Briand, summing-up the positions of the parties, said he understood the Japanese were demanding that if they withdrew their troops, Japanese nationals and their property would not be the object of reprisals.

The Chinese had replied that they were prepared to ensure such security.

Consequently, said M. Briand, an agreement on this issue should be easy. There was, however, a second group of circumstances comprising matters upon which the two Countries were not agreed and had not agreed for some considerable time. If these matters were to be considered the time limit would be far too short to enable results to be secured.

M. Briand asked whether, in making the counter-proposal referring to "fundamental principles" the Japanese Government had any idea of bringing in this second group of subjects.

If so, the whole difficulty would be raised again.

If, on the contrary, "fundamental principles" referred only to security then he could congratulate himself that certain progress had been made.

He emphasised that it was impossible to settle such questions in a short time and then pointed out that on questions other than procedure unanimity must be reached by the Council, including the parties to the dispute.

Lord Cecil (Britain) stated that the bombing incidents disturbed the British Government. It was difficult to justify the activities of Japanese aircraft in international law.

He agreed with Mr. Yoshizawa, however, that such incidents could arise while such a situation as that in Manchuria existed.

Mr. Yoshizawa then explained that "fundamental principles" referred to in the counter-proposal were designed to ensure the security of Japanese life and property. The Council, he said, would be kept informed of the details of the Sino-Japanese negotiations and Japan would not object to the Council meeting again on November 16, as contemplated.

M. Briand said the crux of the matter depended on whether Japan intended to include in "fundamental principles" matters on which the two governments had been in disagreement for some time.

The meeting adjoured at 8.30 p.m. until 10.30 a.m. to-morrow.

Instructions to Dr. Sze.

NANKING, Oct. 24.

A special meeting of the National Government Foreign Affairs Committee decided to instruct Dr. Sze to stand firm by the original text of the League resolution on Manchuria and reject any modification or revision.

"CHRISTIAN GENERAL'S" MESSAGE.

READY TO FIGHT FOR HIS COUNTRY.

[KUO MIN NEWS AGENCY.]

Peiping, Oct. 12.—"Danger is at hand! Let us wake up and unite together against Japanese aggression," declared General Feng Yu Hsiang in a circular telegram to the country. According to the former Kuominchun leader, the country's armies should be mobilised and despatched to the front and to strategic points along the coast so as to wipe out once for all this great national humiliation. This is a moment of life and death of China, he says. "Though incompetent I am ready to fight for my country alongside my compatriots and sacrifice my life."

THE OATH.

[KUO MIN NEWS AGENCY.]

Nanking, Oct. 12.—Oaths avowing life-long boycott of Japanese products will be taken by teachers and students of the various schools in the Capital, and other places in the country. The text of the oath is:—

"By the blue sky that watches over me, by the bright sun that shines on me, by the mountains and rivers of my country, by the sacred tombs of my ancestors, I swear with my warm blood and with utter sincerity that for the rest of my life I shall never use Japanese goods. May Heaven punish me should I retract my decision or change my mind."

CHINCHOW.

CHINESE GOVERNMENT CARRIES ON.

[KUO MIN NEWS AGENCY.]

Peiping, Oct. 12.—Despite the recent aerial attacks on Chinchow, southern Liaoning, by Japanese airplanes, the provisional office of the Liaoning Provincial Government continues to function.

General Mi Chun Lin, Acting Chairman, declares that he will not quit Chinchow. He has sent his son here to call on Vice-Commander-in-Chief Chang Hsueh Liang assuring the latter that he will stick to his post.

Chinchow is at present garrisoned by the 12th Brigade under Commander Chang Ting Shu. The 7th Brigade under Commander Wang I Che has been instructed to maintain order at Chingyuan.

In a telegram to Dr. Alfred Sze, Head of the Chinese delegation at Geneva, Vice-Commander-in-Chief Chang Hsueh Liang denied the Japanese report that the air bombardment was precipitated by Chinese troops first firing on Japanese airplanes. He pointed out that prior to the bombing, handbills were scattered by the Japanese 'planes warning the public that as the establishment of the provisional seat of the Liaoning Provincial Government at Chinchow was opposed by the Japanese Kwantung Garrison, the city would be bombed.

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Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.

AMOY

Antung, B. & S., Oct. 26.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 27.
Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., Oct. 28.
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Haiyang, Douglas, Oct. 30.
Suisang, Jardine's, Nov. 1.
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Tjikembang, J.C.J.L., Nov. 3.
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Main, Melchers, Dec. 1.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Dec. 12.
Annam, Manners, Dec. 20.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.
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ANTWERP.

Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 31.
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Nellore, E. & A., Oct. 31.
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Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 27.
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BATAVIA.

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Tjisembang, J.C.J.L., Dec. 1.
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Neleus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Teucer, B.F., Dec. 1.
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GOTHENBURG.

Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.

HAIPHONG.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Nov. 6.
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HAMBURG.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 30.
Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Troilus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Havel, Melchers, Nov. 4.
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HOIHOW.

Bintang, Manners, Nov. 6.
Kiungchow, B. & S., Nov. 6.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Nov. 20.

HONGAY.

Kweiyang, B. & S., Oct. 29.

HONOLULU

Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Oct. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M.L., Nov. 1.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 7.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Nov. 10.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 11.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, Nov. 15.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 20.
Pres. Lincoln, A.M.L., Nov. 24.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Dec. 5.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Dec. 18.

MAURITIUS.

Tinhow, Bank, Oct. 26.

MEXICO.

Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.

NAPLES.

Pilsna, Dodwell's, Nov. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 1.
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Nov. 5.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Nov. 15.
Carignano, Dodwell's, Nov. 22.
Gange, Dodwell's, Nov. 28.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Nov. 29.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Dec. 1.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Dec. 13.
Venezia, L., Dodwell's, Dec. 20.
Gracovia, Dodwell's, Dec. 29.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, etc.

Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Oct. 27.
Defiance, Everett, Nov. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 1.
Cingalese Prince, Furness, Nov. 5.
Glaucus, B.F., Nov. 5.
Irisbank, Bank, Nov. 6.
Pres. Grant, A.M.P., Nov. 10.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Nov. 15.
Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 18.
Pres. Lincoln, A.M.L., Nov. 24.
Foylebank, Bank, Nov. 26.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Nov. 29.
City of Elwood, Everett, Dec. 1.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Dec. 1.
Adrastus, B.F., Dec. 7.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Dec. 13.

NEWCHWANG.

Linan, B. & S., Oct. 28.
Chenan, B. & S., Nov. 2.

NORTH CHINA PORTS.

Main, Melchers, Oct. 31.

ORAN.

Havel, Melchers, Nov. 4.
Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Main, Melchers, Dec. 1.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.
Isar, Melchers, Dec. 29.

OSLO.

Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.

PAKHOI.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Nov. 6.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Nov. 20.

PANAMA CANAL.

Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Oct. 27.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Nov. 10.
Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 18.
Pres. Lincoln, A.M.L., Nov. 24.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.

PENANG

Yuensang, Jardine's, Oct. 26.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Santhia, B.I., Oct. 30.
Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 31.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Nov. 6.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 11.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 14.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 19.
Suisang, Jardine's, Nov. 20.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 21.
Sirdhana, P. & O., Dec. 10.
Tilawa, P. & O., Dec. 24.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Glaucus, B. & S., Nov. 5.

PORT SAID.

Athos II, MM., Oct. 27.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 30.
Troilus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Java, Manners, Nov. 5.
Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15.
Neleus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Carignano, Dodwell's, Nov. 22.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Afrika, Manners, Nov. 27.
Annam, Manners, Dec. 20.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.

PORT SWETTENHAM.

Santhia, B.I., Oct. 29.

RABAUL.

Nellore, E. & A., Oct. 31.
Tanda, E. & A., Dec. 2.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Dec. 3.

RANGOON

Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 21.

ROTTERDAM.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 30.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 31.
Troilus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Havel, Melchers, Nov. 4.
Java, Manners, Nov. 5.
Sauerland, Jebsen, Nov. 7.
Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
City of Windsor, Bank, Nov. 9.
Calchas, B.F., Nov. 10.
Derfflinger, Melchers, Nov. 14.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 14.
City of Roubaix, Bank, Nov. 17.
Gleniffer, Jardine's, Nov. 20.
Kashgar, P. & O., Nov. 21.
Ramses, Jebsen, Nov. 23.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Afrika, Manners, Nov. 27.
Main, Melchers, Dec. 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen, Dec. 5.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Dec. 12.
Achilles, B.F., Dec. 8.
Saarland, Jebsen, Dec. 19.
Annam, Manners, Dec. 20.
Antenor, B.F., Dec. 23.
Somali, P. & O., Dec. 26.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.
Isar, Melchers, Dec. 29.

SAIGON.

Athos II, MM., Oct. 27.

SANDAKAN

Mausang, Jardine's, Nov. 11.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Nov. 19.

HULL.

Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Kashgar, P. & O., Nov. 21.
Somali, P. & O., Dec. 26.

JAPAN PORTS

Meriones, B.F., Oct. 26.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 26.
Andre Lebon, M.M., Oct. 28.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Oct. 27.
Yasukini Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 28.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 28.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Main, Melchers, Oct. 31.
Khiva, P. & O., Nov. 1.
Suisang, Jardine's, Nov. 1.
Glenbeg, Jardine's, Nov. 5.
Tanda, E. & A., Nov. 6.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 6.
Emp. of Japan, C. P. S., Nov. 7.
Diomed, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Gange, Dodwell's, Nov. 10.
Heian Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 10.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 11.
Felix Roussel, M.M., Nov. 11.
Somali, P. & O., Nov. 14.
Venezia L., Dodwell's, Nov. 16.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Nov. 18.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 20.
Emp. of Asia, C. P. S., Nov. 20.
Glenapp, Jardine's, Nov. 20.
Tamara, Gilman, Nov. 20.
G. Metzinger, M.M., Nov. 25.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.
Hosang, Jardine's, Nov. 27.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, Dec. 4.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Dec. 5
Perim, P. & O., Dec. 6.
Nankin, P. & O., Dec. 7.
Hilda, Dodwell's, Dec. 14
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., Dec. 18
Karmala, P. & O., Dec. 18.
Santhia, P. & O., Dec. 18.
Ixion, B. & S., Dec. 19.
Peiping, Gilman, Dec. 20.

JAVA PORTS.

Tjisbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 27.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., Nov. 3.
Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 10.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Nov. 17.
Tjisnegara, J.C.J.L., Nov. 24.
Tjisembang, J.C.J.L., Dec. 1.

KARACHI.

Alipore, P. & O., Nov. 4.

LIVERPOOL.

Troilus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15.
Neleus, B.F., Nov. 20.
Teucer, B.F., Dec. 1.
Ulysses, B.F., Dec. 20.

LONDON.

Sarpedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Tinhow, Bank, Oct. 28.
Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 31.
Havel, Melchers, Nov. 4.
Naldera, P. & O., Nov. 7.
City of Windsor, Bank, Nov. 9.
Calchas, B.F., Nov. 10.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 14.
City of Roubaix, Bank, Nov. 17.
Gleniffer, Jardine's, Nov. 20.
Kashgar, P. & O., Nov. 21.
Pres. Lincoln, A.M.L., Nov. 24.
Patroclus, B.F., Nov. 25.
Rajputana, P. & O, Dec. 5
Achilles, B.F., Dec. 8.
Corfu, P. & O., Dec. 10.
Antenor, B.F., Dec. 23.
Somali, P. & O., Dec. 26.
Isar, Melchers, Dec. 29.

LOS ANGELES

Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Nov. 10.
Pres. Lincoln, A.M.L., Nov. 24.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 25.

MAKASSAR.

Tjisbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 27.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., Nov. 3.
Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 10.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Nov. 17.
Tjisnegara, J.C.J.L., Nov. 24.
Tjisembang, J.C.J.L., Dec. 1.

MANILA

Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 27.
Malolo, Dollar, Oct. 29.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 30.
Nellore, E. & A., Oct. 31.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 1.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, Nov. 7.
Canton, Gilman, Nov. 9.
Tjisadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 10.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 12.
Derfflinger, Melchers, Nov. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Nov. 15.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 21.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Nov. 21.
Tjisnegara, J.C.J.L., Nov. 24.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 27.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 27.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Nov. 29.
Tanda, E. & A., Dec. 2.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Dec. 10.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Dec. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Dec. 13.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Dec. 26.
Tamara, Gilman, Dec. 27.

MARSEILLES

Athos II, M. M., Oct. 27.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 30.
Burdwan, P. & O., Oct. 31.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 31.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Nov. 1.
Havel, Melchers, Nov. 4.
Naldera, P. & O., Nov. 7.
Calchas, B.F., Nov. 10.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Nov. 10.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Nov. 15.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15.
Kashgar, P. & O., Nov. 21.
Ramses, Jebsen, Nov. 23.
Andre Lebon, M.M., Nov. 24.
Patroclus, B.F., Nov. 25.
Afrika, Manners, Nov. 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Nov. 29.
Main, Melchers, Dec. 1.
Rajputana, B. & O., Dec. 5.
Achilles, B.F., Dec. 8.
Corfu, P. & O., Dec. 19.
Saarland, Jebsen, Dec. 19.
Annam, Manners, Dec. 20
Antenor, B.F., Dec. 23.
Somali, P. & O., Dec. 26.
Isar, Melchers, Dec. 29.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAM SHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Co.'s Vessel "MERIONES"

FROM UNITED KINGDOM VIA SINGAPORE

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 24th October.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and NOON within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 30th October will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 13th November, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.

24th October, 1931. [1371

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION Co.'s STEAMER "MACEDONIA."

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON 23RD OCTOBER, 1931.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, MALTA, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed AT THEIR RISK in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be affected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 A.M. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before 12th November, 1931, or they will not be recognized.

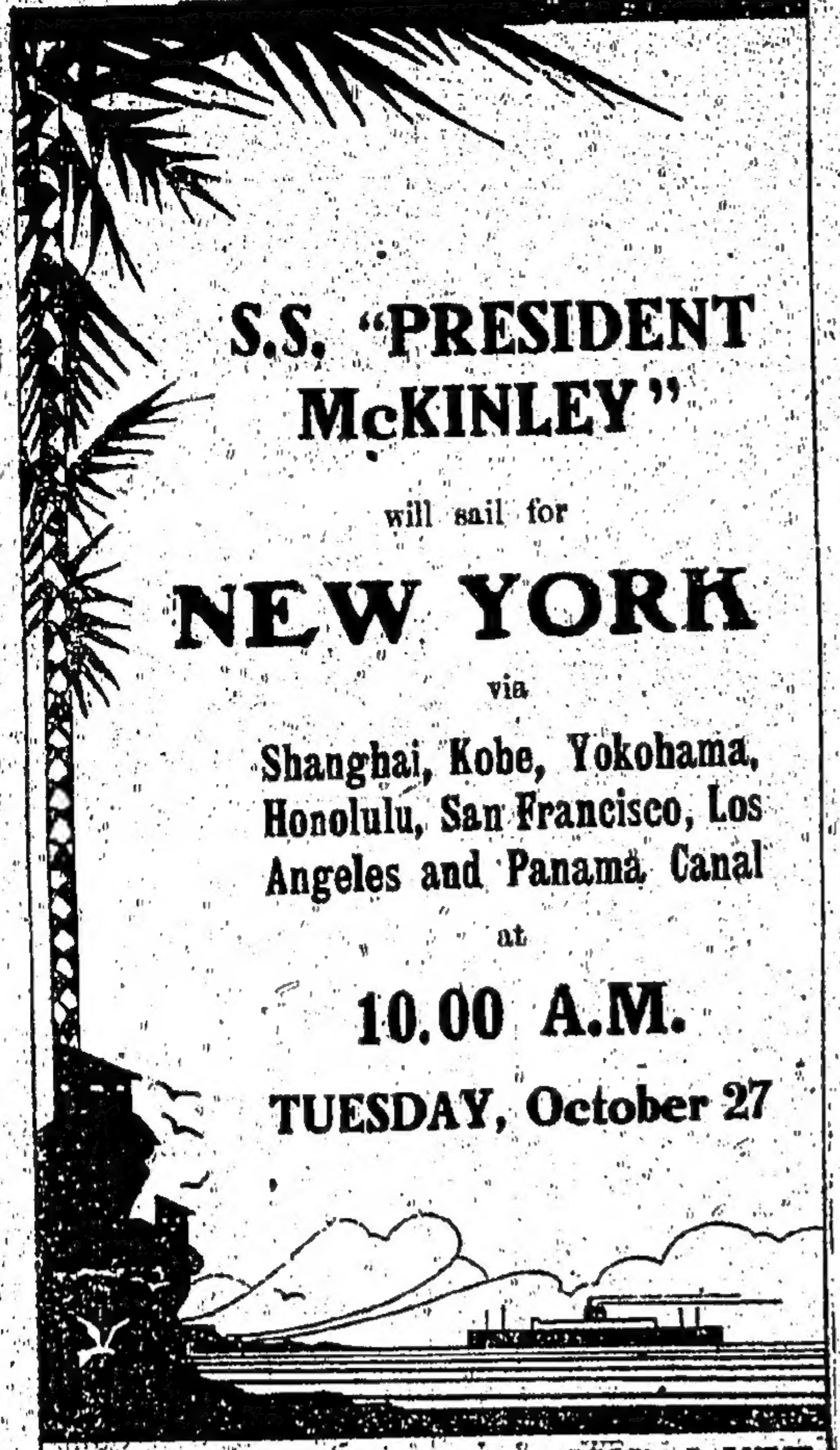
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Agents.

Hong Kong, 23rd Oct., 1931. [1365

EXPECTED ARRIVALS AND MOVEMENTS.

Agapenor due from Europe Dec. 31.
Ajax due from New York Nov. 11.
Andre Lebon due from Europe Oct. 28.
Antenor due from Europe Nov. 13.
Autolycus due from Europe Dec. 5.
Benrinnes due from Europe Oct. 26.
Coblenz due from Europe Dec. 15.
Diomed due from Europe Nov. 8.
Emp. of Asia due from Vancouver Nov. 19.
Emp. of Canada due from Vancouver Dec. 4.
Emp. of Japan due from Vancouver Oct. 30.
Emp. of Russia due from Vancouver Dec. 17.
Eumaeus due from Europe Dec. 27.
Hector due from Europe Dec. 11.
Ionic Star due from Europe Nov. 7.
Isar due from Europe Nov. 28.
Ixion due from Seattle Dec. 3.
Jason due from Europe Nov. 18.
Khiva due from Europe Oct. 31.
Leverkusen due from Europe Nov. 8.
Kulmerland due from Europe Dec. 21.
Main due from Europe Oct. 31.
Mentor due from Europe Nov. 22.
Preussen due from Europe Dec. 9.
President Garfield due from America Oct. 31.
Pres. Grant due from America Nov. 2.
Protesilaus due from Seattle Nov. 5.
Rhexnor due from New York Dec. 9.
Saale due from Europe Dec. 20.
Saarbruecken due from Europe Nov. 17.
Saarland due from Europe Nov. 23.



S.S. "PRESIDENT McKINLEY"
will sail for
NEW YORK
via
Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Panama Canal
at
10.00 A.M.
TUESDAY, October 27
DOLLAR STEAMSHIP LINE
AMERICAN MAIL LINE

WHEN
YOU REACH HOME
You will be wondering how things are going out here, what all your friends are doing who won the tennis league.
THE HONG KONG WEEKLY PRESS
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Six Months ... ... $9.00.

NEW COMMODORE FOR CUNARD LINE.

RETIREMENT OF CAPTAIN E. G. DIGGLE.

Captain R. G. Malin, R.N.R., master of the Samaria, has been appointed commodore of the Cunard Line, in succession to Captain E. G. Diggle, R.D., R.N.R., who has retired.

A Liverpool man, the new commodore served his apprenticeship on the Liverpool ship Slievebawn, belonging to Messrs. W. P. Sinclair and Co., one of three sisterships built by Messrs. Harland and Wolff. He then went to Newcastle-on-Tyne, and served as officer with Messrs. Stevens and Mawson, and also with Messrs. Cairns, Noble and Co. After a period with the Johnston Line, of Liverpool, he joined the Cunard Company in April, 1899, when he was 25, as fourth officer of the Aurania, on the Liverpool-New York service.

Captain Malin quickly won promotion, and in 1905 was appointed first officer in the Carpathia. Six years later he was given his first command, the Phrygia, engaged in the company's Mediterranean service.

Subsequently Captain Malin commanded the Ultonia, and at the outbreak of war he was acting as staff captain in the Mauretania. Later he commanded the old Andania and the old Ausonia, until in 1917 he was appointed marine superintendent at Avonmouth. This position he occupied until 1923 when he was appointed marine superintendent for the company at Southampton, a position he held until his appointment to command the Lancastria in 1926. Captain Malin had this ship until appointed to his present command, the Samaria, in May, 1927.

His war service was relatively uneventful; for instance, he was never torpedoed, although he had the distinction of carrying the first mechanical transport to France, while he also carried 8,000 troops overseas. Captain Malin hopes shortly to have the honour of meeting President Hoover, at Washington, where he will be introduced by his old friend Judge Cronier of the Federal Court.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24.	SHAREHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION. Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
...	...	$1,600	...	H.K. Banks	$1,580	...	$1,595	...
...	...	...	£110½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£18	Chartered Banks	£12½	...	...	...
...	...	...	£18	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£19½
...	...	...	£10	Do. "C"	£7¼	£8½	...	...
...	...	...	$134	Bank of East Asia	$129½	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$8.
				Insurances				
...	$1,500	...	...	Canton Insurances	...	$1,60	...	...
$4.60	...	$4.90/.05	...	Underwriters	$4.80	...	$4.80/.05	...
...	...	...	...	North Chinas	...	...	...	...
...	...	$455	...	Union Insurances	$450	$460	$455	...
...	...	...	...	Yangtsze Insurances	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$650	China Fires	...	...	...	$650
...	$1,450	...	...	H.K. Fires	...	...	...	$1,450
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$24	Douglases	$21	...	...	...
...	...	...	$25½	Steamboats	$30	$26	...	...
...	...	...	$30	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$40
...	...	...	$17	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$30
...	...	...	46/6	Shell Transports	44/-	46/6	...	...
...	...	...	$25	Water-boats	...	...	...	$27
				Mining				
...	$12	...	...	Benguets	$11	$12	...	$2.25
...	$2¼	...	...	Venzuela Gold Flds.	...	...	...	30/-
...	...	...	28/9	Kailans	...	...	...	T.13
...	...	...	...	Langkats (comb.)	...	...	...	T.6¼
...	...	...	T.4.95	Do. (single)	...	...	...	T.1.85
...	...	...	T.2	Explorations	...	...	...	T.4½
...	...	...	T.4¼	Shanghai Loans	...	...	...	...
$38	...	...	...	Raubs	$36	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Tronoh Mines	11/9	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$155	...	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharfs	$153	...	...	...
...	$5.60	$5.55/.65	...	Providents (old)	...	...	$5.40/.60	...
$2.35	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	$2.60	$2.70	...
...	...	...	$30	H.K. Docks	$29½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	S. China Motors "A"	...	...	...	$10
$12	...	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	T.103	Shanghai Docks	...	...	...	T.103½
...	...	...	T6.20	New Engineerings	...	...	...	T6.20
...	...	...	T.268	Hongkews	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$14.95	$15	14.90/	15¼	H.K. Hotels (old)	$14.90	...	$ 5	...
...	...	$14¼	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$14½
...	$84	$84.85	...	H.K. Lands	...	...	84½/¾	...
...	...	...	T.37	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
$12.80	...	12½/90	...	H.K. Realtys	$12½	$12.90	12½/13	...
...	...	...	$18.6	Humphreys (old)	[illegible]	...	...	...
...	...	...	$18	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$17¾
...	...	...	$94	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
T.16½	...	15.90/16	...	Ewos	T.16	...	...	...
...	...	...	T.91	S'hai Cottons	...	...	...	T 90
T.12½	...	...	...	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.12½
				Public Utilities				
$21½	$21½	$22	...	Tramways	...	$22	21¾/22	.15
...	...	...	$14½	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$14½
...	...	...	$6.35	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$7
$91	...	...	...	Star Ferries	$93	...	$94	...
...	...	...	$26	Yaumati Ferries	...	...	...	$26½
$27½	...	...	...	China Lights	$27½	$27½	$27½/.	-0
...	...	$78½	...	H.K. Electrics	$78½	...	$78½	...
...	...	...	$23	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$12	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$43	Telephones (fully pd.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	$29½/.	30	Do. (part pd.)	...	...	$19¾	...
...	...	...	T17.90	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	4	Tractions	...	...	...	7/-
...	...	...	19/-	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$0.50	China Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$39	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$28
...	...	...	T.14	Caldbeck, Macgregors (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T.10½	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
...	$7.60	...	...	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$7
$10½	$19.80	$19.80	...	Cements (comb.)	...	$19.60	$19½/.	80
...	...	...	$13½	Do. (old)	...	...	...	$14½
...	...	...	$6	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$17½	Ropes	$17½	...	$ 7½	...
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	$20	...	Dairy Farms	$29½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A. Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$22½	Amusements (old)	$23	...	$23½	...
...	...	...	$15	Ch. E'tainments (old)	...	...	...	$16½
...	...	...	$15	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$15½
...	$5	...	...	Constructions, (old)	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	...	Do., (new)	...	...	$1 30	...
$1.20	...	...	$6.60	Lane Crawfords (old)	$6½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$6	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$19	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	$4	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14½	Sinceres	$15	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Watsons	$15½	...	...	...
$15½	...	...	$3.60	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	$3.80
...	...	...	$11	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	$11
...	...	...	67%	B. Ind. G.$ Bonds	...	...	...	67%
5%	prem.	...	...	H.K. Govt. Loans	$105	...	...	...

LOCAL AND REGULAR OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR	WEEK DAYS. From G.P.O.	WEEK DAYS. From Sheungwan Branch P.O.	SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS. From G.P.O.	SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS. From Sheungwan Branch P.O.
Canton	7.15 a.m. & 6.00 p.m.	7.00 a.m. 7.00 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 5.00 p.m.	7.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow (By direct steamer)	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	9.00 a.m.
Macao & Taipshan	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m.	8.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m. Sundays 8.15 a.m. only	8.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Sundays 8.30 a.m. only
Kongmoon (except Saturdays)	6.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Kaukong (except Saturdays)		6.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Fatshan and Wuchow (By Train)	7.15 a.m.		7.15 a.m.	
Tai O	1.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Tai Po	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		9.00 a.m.	
Shumchun	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Cheungchow	1.00 p.m. & 5.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m. & 5.00 p.m.	
Aberdeen	8.00 a.m.		8.00 a.m.	
Stanley	12.30 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Autau	8.30 a.m.		8.30 a.m.	
Pingshan, Santin, Shatin, Shataukok and Sheung shui	3.00 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Saikung	4.30 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Namtau, Shakki & Taiping (Fumun)		7.00 p.m.		7.00 p.m.

FOREIGN MAILS

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Times of closing Shanghai-Manchouli Airmails are advertised on the Outward Mail list below.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM	PER	DUE
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 30th September)	*Hiye Maru*	26th Oct.
STRAITS	*Yasukuni Maru*	26th Oct.
MANILA	*Pres. McKinley*	26th Oct.
SHANGHAI and AMOY	*Taihan*	27th Oct.
STRAITS	*Van Heutsz*	27th Oct.
BATAVIA	*Tjisadane*	27th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Athos II*	27th Oct.
SAIGON	*Andre Lebon*	28th Oct.
JAPAN	*Nellore*	29th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Katori Maru*	30th Oct.
SHANGHAI	*Burdwan*	30th Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 10th October)	*Emp. of Japan*	30th Oct.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 2nd October)	*Pres. Garfield*	31st Oct.
LONDON Parcels only (London, 24th Sept.)	*Khiva*	31st Oct.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 9th October)	*Pres. Grant*	2nd Nov.
JAPAN	*Arabia Maru*	3rd Nov.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	*Tanda*	4th Nov.
JAPAN	*Rio de Janeiro Maru*	4th Nov.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Naldera*	6th Nov.

OUTWARD MAILS.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

FOR	PER	DATE and TIME
		Monday, 26th,
Straits and Calcutta	*Yuensang*	Parcels 9.00 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M.
Amoy via Swatow	*Antung*	10.30 A.M.
Swatow	*Hodnsingea*	2.00 P.M.
Boihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Solviken*	5.00 P.M.
Japan	*Yasukuni Maru*	5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Yasukuni Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M.
		Tuesday, 27th,
Manila and Java via Sourabaya	*Tjibadak*	9.30 A.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th November	*Sarpedon*	Kowloon P.O. Reg. 9.00 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M. G.P.O. Reg. 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, C. and S. America, and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 17th November, and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. McKinley*	Parcels 9.00 A.M. Reg. 9.15 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Tonkin*	Noon
Saigon, *Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th November	*Athos II*	Kowloon P.O. Reg. 1.00 P.M. Let. 1.00 P.M. G.P.O. Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Mauritius via Saigon	*Tinhow*	1.30 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Hai Ning*	2.00 P.M.
Swatow and Amoy	*Van Heutsz*	5.00 P.M.
Ordinary Letters only for EUROPE superscribed "Via Siberia: Air Mail Shanghai—Manchouli"	*Chichibu Maru*	Kowloon P.O. 27th 4.30 P.M. G.P.O. 28th 8.30 A.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 18th November, and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Chichibu Maru*	Reg. 27th, 5.00 P.M. Let. 28th, 8.30 A.M.
		Wednesday, 28th,
Swatow	*Soochow*	8.30 A.M.
Shanghai and Japan	*Andre Lebon*	2.30 P.M.
Amoy	*Tjisalak*	5.00 P.M.
		Friday, 30th,
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang*	1.00 P.M.
Manila	*Emp. of Japan*	5.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 28th November	*Burdwan*	Kowloon P.O. Parcels 4.30 P.M. Reg. 4.30 P.M. Letters 4.30 P.M. G.P.O. Parcels 5.00 P.M. Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let. 31st 8.30 A.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 29th November	*Katori Maru*	Kowloon P.O. Reg. 30th, 4.30 P.M. Let. 31st, 9.30 A.M. G.P.O. Reg. 31st 8.45 A.M. Letters 9.30 A.M.
		Saturday, 31st,
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 17th November	*Nellore*	Parcels Noon Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and *EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C. 17th November, and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. Cleveland*	Parcels 3.00 P.M. Reg. 4.15 P.M. Letters 5.00 P.M.
Manila	*Pres. Garfield*	5.00 P.M.
		NOVEMBER. Tuesday, 3rd
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiching*	1.00 P.M.
		Friday, 6th,
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 4th December	*Naldera*	Kowloon P.O. Par. 6th, 4.30 P.M. Reg. 7th, 9.15 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M. G.P.O. Par. 6th 5.00 P.M. Reg. 7th, 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.

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Swatow & Amoy	"ANTUNG"	On 26th Oct.,	Noon
Shanghai, Chefoo & Tientsin	"NEWCHWANG"	On 27th Oct.,	5 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On 28th Oct.,	10 a.m.
Newchwang & Dalny	"LINAN"	On 28th Oct.,	5 p.m.
Swatow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HOIOHOW"	On 29th Oct.,	10 a.m.
Hongay & Bangkok	"KWEIYANG"	On 29th Oct.,	Noon
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On 29th Oct.,	5 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SHANTUNG"	On 1st Nov.,	10 a.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KAYING"	On 1st Nov.,	10 a.m.
Newchwang & Dalny	"CHENAN"	On 2nd Nov.,	5 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUIYANG"	On 3rd Nov.,	10 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KIUNGCHOW"	On 6th Nov.,	2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUNNING"	On 8th Nov.,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"KUEICHOW"	On 18th Nov.,	10 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KINGYUAN"	On 20th Nov.,	2.30 p.m.

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Optional Cargo will be landed, unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th October, 1931, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 28th Oct., 1931, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

All Claims must reach us before the 13th November, 1931, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

JEBSEN & CO.,
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HongKong, 22nd Oct., 1931. [1643

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves, Delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods, remaining undelivered after the 2nd November will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 16th November, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 31st October, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
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Hong Kong, 20th Oct., 1931. [1370

ROYAL OBSERVATORY'S DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

STATION	OCTOBER 24, 1931. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level Inches	Barometer at Sea Level Millis.	Temperature	Visibility	Wind Direction	Wind Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)	OCTOBER 25, 1931. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level Inches	Barometer at Sea Level Millis.	Temperature	Visibility	Wind Direction	Wind Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)
Wladivostock	12	30.03	762.8	52	...	SE	4	o	6	29.74	755.8	51	...	S	4	r
Nemuro	11	30.18	766.5	...	...	NE	1	...	5	30.22	767.5	..	...	SSE	1	...
Hakodate	"	30.16	766.0	...	...	SSW	1	...	"	30.06	768.5	...	...	...	0	...
Tokio	"	30.16	766.0	...	...	E	1	...	"	30.10	764.5	...	...	...	0	...
Kochi	"	30.06	763.5	..	...	...	0	...	"	29.98	761.5	..	...	...	0	...
Nagasaki	"	30.06	763.5	...	...	NW	1	...	"	29.98	761.5	...	...	...	...	...
Kagoshima	"	30.04	763.0	...	...	NE	1	...	"	29.94	760.5	...	...	NW	1	...
Oshima	"	29.94	760.5	...	...	NNE	2	...	"	29.88	759.0	...	...	NNW	1	...
Naha	"	29.90	759.5	...	...	NNE	3	...	"	29.88	759.0	...	...	N	4	...
Ishigakijima	"	29.92	760.0	...	...	NNE	1	...	"	29.92	760.0	...	...	NNE	1	...
Bonin Island	"	29.69	754.0	...	...	ESE	1	...	"	29.71	754.5	...	...	ENE	2	...
Chefoo	15	29.94	760.5	73	...	S	2	b	6	30.16	766.0	48	...	NNW	3	o
Shanghai	14	30.04	763.0	70	6	NNE	2	c	"	30.10	764.5	59	6	...	0	c
Gutzlaff	"	30.09	764.8	76	...	N	1	r	"	30.15	765.8	68	...	NW	1	o
Wenchow	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foochow	"	29.97	761.2	70	8	E	2	b	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Amoy	"	29.90	759.4	80	6	ENE	2	b	6	29.98	761.5	68	6	NE	2	bc
Swatow	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taihoku	11	29.97	761.3	79	...	E	4	b	5	29.99	761.6	68	...	...	0	b
Taichu	"	29.94	760.6	77	...	NNW	2	o	"	29.95	760.6	67	...	...	0	b
Tainan	"	29.91	759.7	83	...	NNW	2	bc	"	29.90	759.5	66	...	N	2	c
Koshun	"	29.89	759.1	81	...	NE	6	b	"	29.89	759.1	72	...	...	0	b
Pescadores	"	29.94	760.6	77	...	NNE	6	o	"	29.93	760.2	72	...	NNE	4	bc
Hong Kong	14	29.92	759.9	78	7	W	2	c	6	29.97	761.2	70	7	...	0	b
Gap Rock	"	29.94	760.5	76	7	ENE	4	b	"	29.97	761.2	75	7	NE	3	b
Macao	"	29.91	759.7	79	8	SE	2	b	"	29.98	760.2	68	6	NNE	2	b
Hoihow	"	29.97	761.2	80	...	ENE	3	b	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pratas Island	"	29.88	759.0	79	8	SE	6	o	6	29.92	760.0	76	8	NE	6	c
Phulien	15	29.92	760.0	86	8	SSE	3	b	7	30.02	762.6	70	7	N	3	f
Tourane	"	29.87	758.8	77	8	NNW	4	c	"	29.94	760.5	73	7	NNW	1	c
Cape St. James	"	29.82	757.4	85	6	SW	2	c	"	29.86	758.4	75	6	NW	1	c
Basco	14	29.79	756.7	83	8	NE	4	bc	6	29.84	757.9	77	8	NE	4	b
Aparri	"	29.78	756.4	85	4	ENE	4	o	"	29.82	757.4	77	6	NNW	4	p
Tuguegarao	"	29.73	755.2	86	6	NW	2	o	"	29.81	757.2	74	4	...	0	bc
Vigan	"	29.71	754.6	88	8	W	2	b	"	29.77	756.1	76	8	...	0	bc
Manila	"	29.73	755.2	85	8	...	0	o	"	29.79	756.6	76	4	...	0	m
Legaspi	"	29.67	753.6	85	8	W	4	bc	"	29.75	755.5	77	6	...	0	o
Calbayog	"	29.71	754.7	79	6	WSW	4	o	"	29.76	755.8	79	8	WSW	4	o
Tacloban	"	29.69	754.1	83	6	S	4	o	"	29.76	755.8	81	8	NW	2	bc
Iloilo	"	29.71	754.6	86	8	SW	2	o	"	29.76	755.9	79	4	E	2	o
Cebu	"	29.71	754.6	85	8	SSW	4	d	"	29.76	755.9	79	8	SW	2	o
Surigao	...	29.70	754.4	86	8	W	4	o	"	29.76	755.8	81	6	WSW	4	o
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	29.76	755.9	79	...	SSE	5	o
Guam	12.22	29.74	755.5	...	6	SSE	2	o	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	11.00	29.74	755.5	...	6	SSW	2	bc	5	29.78	756.5	...	6	SW	2	bc
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	29.81	757.1	80	...	SW	1	c
Labuan	14	29.94	760.4	86	6	SW	6	bc	6	29.89	759.3	76	1	...	...	o

October 23*d.* 10*h.* 46*m.*—The typhoon is less than 300 miles S.W. of the Bonins moving East.

A new anticyclone is forming over N. China.

Manila warning, 24*d.* 11*h.* 00*m.*:—Typhoon in Lat. 18° N. Long. 135° E., moving N.N.W. Recd. 24*d.* 11*h.* 23*m.*

Shanghai warning, 24*d.* 16*h.* 40*m.*—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 120 miles of Lat. 25° N. Long. 136° E., moving N.N.E. Recd. 24*d.* 16*h.* 57*m.*

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1, 74,86 inches, against an average of 80.04 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON OCTOBER 26.

District.	Forecast.
A.—Shanghai to Turnabout	Light, variable winds, freshening form N.E. fine to cloudy.
B.—Turnabout to Hong Kong	N.E. winds, moderate; fine to cloudy.
C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock	
D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits	
E.—North China Sea	N.E. winds, moderate to fresh; fine to cloudy.

T. F. CLAXTON, *Director*

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, October 25.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	29.90	30 02	29.91
Temperature	76	77	83
Humidity	72	55	38
Wind—			
Direction	W	N	N
Force	1	4	3
Weather	BC	B	B
Rain	0.01	0.00	0 00

Highest open-air Temperature, 24 : 78
Lowest open-air Temperature, 25 : 70

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From October 26 to November 1, 1931.

Days of Week.	Date of Month.	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	High Water. Height.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Low Water. Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Mon.	26	09 18	6 1	02 57	2 6
		21 28	7 0	14 46	2 9
Tues.	27	09 58	5 8	03 35	2 4
		21 45	7 5	15 09	3 3
Wed.	28	10 40	5 5	04 13	2 1
		22 01	7 5	15 57	3 5
Thur.	29	11 20	5 1	04 55	1 8
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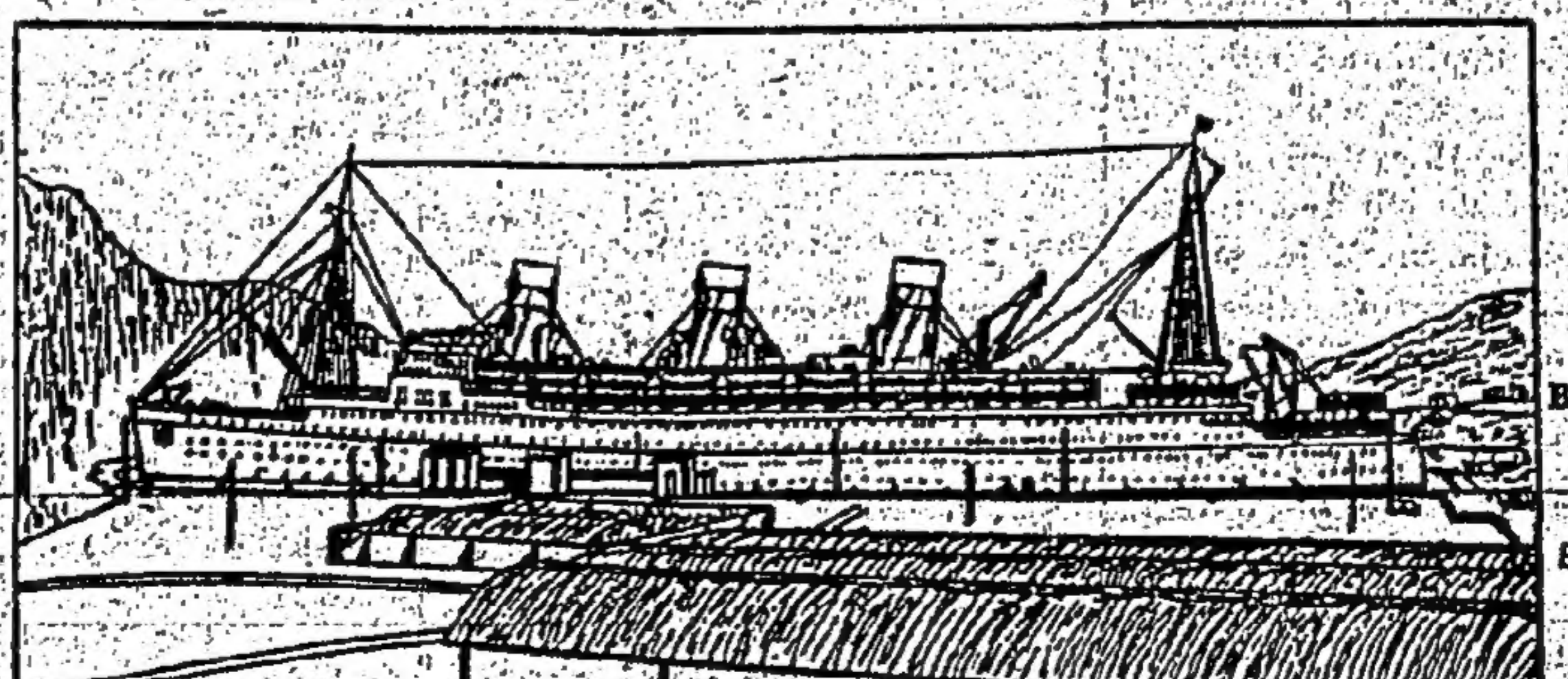

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SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"YUENSANG" "KUMSANG" "SUISANG"	Mon., 26th Oct., at Noon Fri., 6th Nov., at 3 p.m. Fri., 20th Nov., at 3 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, S'HAI & KOBE	"SUISANG" "KUTSANG"	Sun., 1st Nov., at 7 a.m. Wed., 18th Nov., at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY & KOBE	"HOSANG"	Fri., 27th Nov., at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN	"MAUSANG" "HINSANG"	Wed., 11th Nov., at Noon Thurs., 19th Nov., at 3 p.m.
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Emp. of Russia	Oct. 23	Oct. 26	Oct. 27	Oct. 29	Oct. 31		Nov. 9
Emp. of Japan	Nov. 7	Nov. 10		Nov. 12	Nov. 14		Nov. 21
Emp. of Asia	Nov 20	Nov. 23	Nov. 24	Nov. 26	Nov. 28		Dec. 7
Emp. of Canada	Dec. 5	Dec. 8		Dec. 10	Dec. 12		Dec. 20
Emp. of Russia	Dec. 18	Dec. 21	Dec. [illegible]	Dec. 24	Dec. 26		1932 Jan. 4
Emp. of Japan	1932 Jan. 2	1932 Jan. 5		1932 Jan. 7	1932 Jan. 9		Jan. 17
Emp. of Asia	Feb. 5	Feb. 8	Feb. 9	Feb. 11	Feb. 13		Feb. 21
Emp. of Canada	Feb. 20	Feb. 23		Feb. 25	Feb. 27		Mar. 6
Emp. of Russia	Mar. 4	Mar. 7	Mar. 8	Mar. 10	Mar. 12		Mar. 21
Emp. of Japan	Mar. 15	Mar. 18		Mar. 20	Mar. 22	Mar. 28	Apr. 3
Emp. of Asia	Mar. 25	Mar. 28	Mar. 29	Mar. 31	Apr. 2		Apr. 11
Emp. of Canada	Apr. 9	Apr. 12		Apr. 14	Apr. 16	Apr. 22	Apr. 27
Emp. of Russia	Apr. 22	Apr. 25	Apr. 26	Apr. 28	Apr. 30		May 9
Emp. of Japan	May 7	May 10		May 12	May 14	May 20	May 25
Emp. of Asia	May 20	May 23	May 24	May 26	May 28	June 4	June 10
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Shipping News Week-End Statement, Waterfront News.

WEEK-END FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 37,000 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 28,330 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

Saturday.

	Cargo for H.K.		Through Ports	
British				
Szechuen, Canton	—		940	
Pongtong, Saigon	2,000		—	
Anhui, Singapore	450		—	
Kingyuan, Canton	—		542	
Hong Peng, Rangoon	700		770	
Hydrangea, Swatow	219		—	
		3,369		2,252
Italian				
Montcaleirie, Yokohama	—		3,536	
		—		3,536
French				
Tonkin, Haiphong	1,032		—	
		1,032		—
Norwegian				
Produce, Bangkok	1,507		—	
		1,507		—
Japanese				
Ryutoh Maru, Tsukumi	4,450		—	
		4,450		—
Chinese				
Sun Kong, K. C. Wan	200		—	
		200		—
Total		10,558		5,788

Yesterday 9 a.m.

	Cargo for H.K.		Through Ports	
British				
Yuen Sang, Kobe	1,273		406	
Hop Sang, Tsingtao	378		1,744	
Kwai Sang, Shanghai	478		1,808	
Meriones, Canton	1,100		3,200	
Kwaiyang, Bangkok	1,650		73	
Huichow, Tongku	960		785	
Taiyuan, Canton	700		400	
Haihing, Foochow	500		—	
Haldis, Hongay	2,400		—	
		9,440		8,416
American				
Pres. Cleveland, Seattle	3,120		31,71	
		3,120		3,171
Norwegian				
Hermod, Bangkok	1,940		1,030	
Kronviken, Samarinda	2,175		1,477	
Haukifield, Chinwangtao	2,010		—	
		6,125		5,678
Portuguese				
Wing Wo, K. C. Wan	330		—	
		330		—
Japanese				
Chichibu Maru, Los Angeles	484		—	
Argon Maru, Bombay	—		4,277	
Ryujin Maru, Keelung	7,790		—	
		8,274		4,277
Chinese				
Cheung On, Shanmei	53		—	
		53		—
Total		27,342		22,542

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 48 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Saturday, 9 a.m.

Szechuen (Br.) Canton	32
Pongtong (Br.) Saigon	617
Anhui (Br.) Singapore	348
Kingyuan (Br.) Canton	75
Hong Peng (Br.) Rangoon	1,686
Hydrangea (Br.) Swatow	178
Montcaleirie (Ital.) Y'hama	9
Tonkin (Fr.) Haiphong	8
Produce (Nor.) Bangkok	12
Total	2,966

Yesterday, 9 a.m.

Hop Sang (Br.) Tsingtao	12
Kwaiyang (Br.) Bangkok	99
Huichow (Br.) Tongku	52
Taiyuan (Br.) Canton	170
Haihing (Br.) Foochow	274
Hermod (Nor.) Bangkok	10
Kronviken (Nor.) Samarinda	11
Wing Wo (Por.) K. C. Wan	12
Cheung On (Chi.) Shanmei	49
Total	689

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

Saturday.

	Arr.	Dep.
British	6	6
Italian	1	0
Norwegian	1	3
French	1	0
Japanese	1	3
Chinese	2	2
Danish	0	1
Total	12	15

Yesterday.

	Arr.	Dep.
British	10	6
American	1	0
Norwegian	3	3
Portuguese	1	0
Japanese	4	3
Chinese	1	1
French	0	1
Dutch	0	1
Total	20	15

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant vessels were in port yesterday:—

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At the opening ceremony Alderman T. Whitehead said there had been piers at Scarborough for 700 years, but no lighthouse was in existence before the beginning of the nineteenth century. Twice Acts of Parliament had been passed under which passing vessels paid tolls to the local harbour authorities. Once the revenue was so large that the local officials at the time appropriated over £3,000, and paid their own personal debts.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

Basin.—Tamar.
East Wall.—Sepoy, Somme.
North Arm.—Berwick.
West Wall.—Medway, Osiris, Proteus, Parthian, Pandora, Oswald, Phoenix, Odin, Otus, Orpheus.
Dock.—Perseus, Olympus, Tarantula.
Kowloon.—Stormcloud.
Buoy No. 4.—Cornflower.
Buoy No. 5.—Marazion.
Buoy No. 6.—Kent.
Buoy No. 7.—Magnolia.
Buoy No. 8.—Sandwich.
Buoy No. 10.—Sterling.
Buoy No. 11.—Seraph.
Buoy No. 12.—Serapis.
Foreign Men of War.—Portuguese cruiser Macau, Chinese gunboat Fook On, U.S.S. Mindanao and nine U.S. Submarines.

CLEARANCE.

October 24.

Anhui, for Amoy.
Apoey, for Fort Courbet.
Argun Maru, for Shanghai.
Daviken, for Swatow.
Eng Lee, for Tsingtao.
Hellas, for Swatow.
Hongpeng, for Swatow.
Honolulu Maru, for Shanghai.
Kwangchow, for Swatow.
Meriones, for Shanghai.
Moncaliere, for Singapore.
Szechuen, for Swatow.
Tai Poo Sek, for K. C. Wan.
Taiyuan, for Amoy.

October 25.

Canton Maru, for Swatow.
Haukefjell, for Canton.
Hopsang, for Canton.
Huichow, for Canton.
Kaitangata, for Hoihow.
Kwaisang, for Takao.
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* "ALIPORE"	5,300	4th Nov.	Straits, Colombo, Bombay & Karachi
"NALDERA"	16,000	7th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
† "KASHGAR"	9,000	21st Nov.	Mars., L'don., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
* "KIDDERPORE"	5,300	1st Dec.	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	5th Dec.	Marseilles and London.
‡ "CORFU"	15,000	19th Dec.	do.
‡* "SOMALI"	6,800	26th Dec.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
		1932	
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	2nd Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
† "KARMALA"	9,000	16th Jan.	Mars., L'don., R'dm. & A'werp.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	30th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
† "KASHMIR"	9,000	13th Feb.	Mars., L'don., R'dm. & A'werp.
"NALDERA"	16,000	27th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
‡* "SOUDAN"	6,800	5th Mar.	Marseilles, London, Havre, H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	12th Mar.	Marseilles and London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	26th Mar.	do.
"CORFU"	15,000	9th Apr.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	23rd Apr.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
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"TAKADA"	7,000	26th Nov.	do.
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SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI AND JAPAN

* "KIDDERPORE"	5,300	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
* "KHIVA"	9,000	1st Nov.	do.
"TANDA"	7,000	6th Nov.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"TAKADA"	7,000	8th Nov.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	6th Nov	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
* "SOMALI"	6,800	14th Nov.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	20th Nov.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"CORFU"	15,000	20th Nov.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
* "KHYBER"	9,000	28th Nov.	S'hai. & Kobe
"TILAWA"	10,000	4th Dec.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	4th Dec.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama
"NANKIN"	7,000	7th Dec.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"SANTHIA"	8,000	12th Dec.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
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"CHITRAL"	15,000	1st Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TALMA"	10,000	3rd Jan.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"NELLORE"	7,000	4th Jan.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama.
* "KALYAN"	9,000	9th Jan.	S'hai. & Kobe
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* "SOUDAN"	6,800	26th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"NALDERA"	16,000	29th Jan.	do.
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	12th Feb.	do.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	26th Feb.	do.

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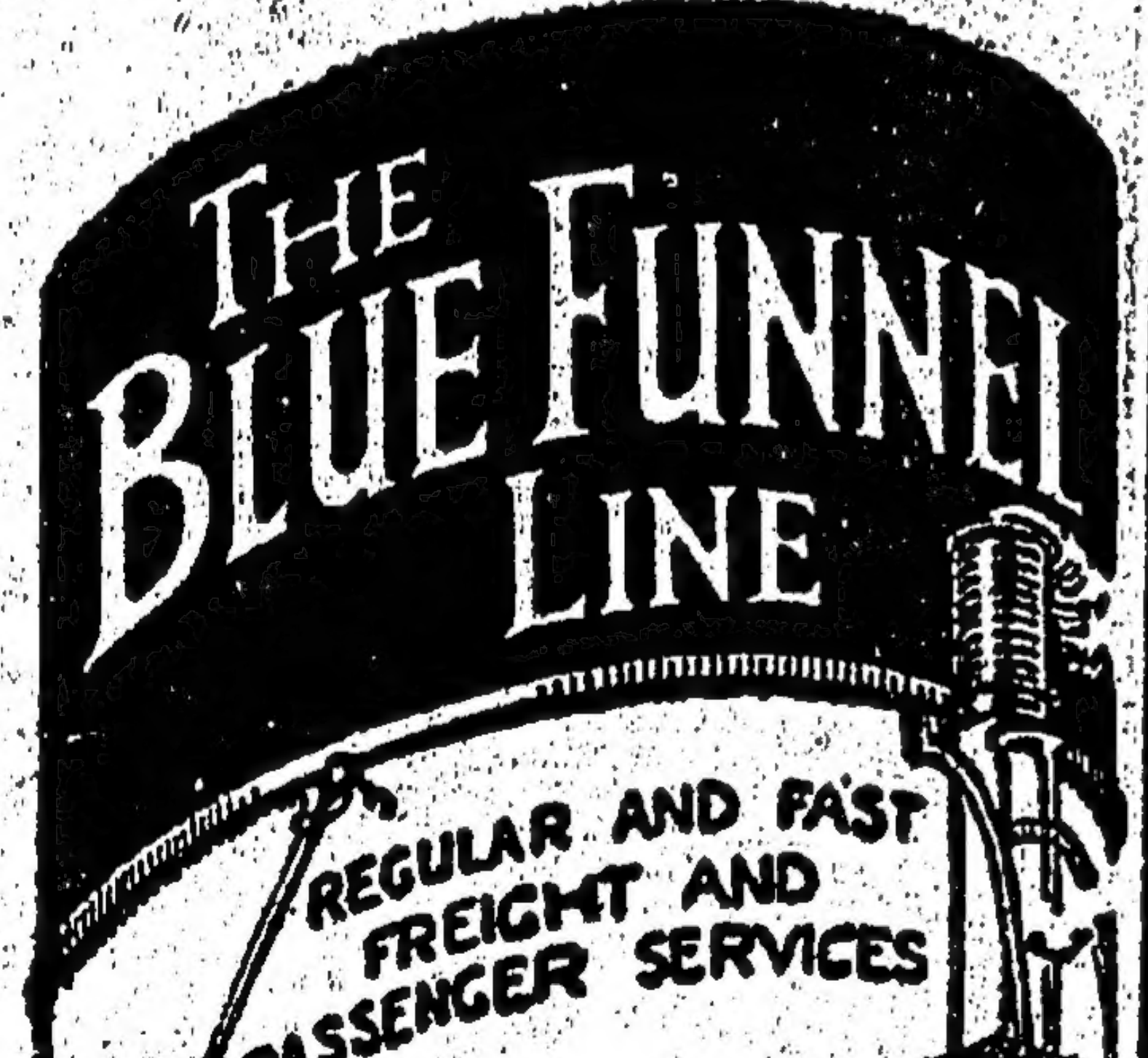
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Authorised Capital	$50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-up	$20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—	
Sterling	£6,500,000
Silver	$10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	$20,000,000

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Hong Kong, 18th May, 1931. [20

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For the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 16th July, 1930. [2

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Authorised Capital	Gldrs. 150,000,000- (£12,500,000.)
Paid-Up Capital	Gldrs. 80,030,000- (£6,669,170.)
Reserve Fund	Gldrs. 40,015,000- (£3,334,583.)

Head Office:—Amsterdam.*
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BRANCHES:—Bandjermasin, Bandoeng*, Bombay, Calcutta, Cheribon, Djember, Djokjakarta*, The Hague*, Jiddah, Kobe* Kota-Radja, Makassar, Medan, Padang, Palembang, *Pekalongan, Penang, Pontianak, Rangoon, Rotterdam*, Samarang*, Shanghai, Sibolga (Sumatra), Singapore, Soerabaja, Soerakarta (Solo), Tegal, Tjilatjap and Weltevreden*.

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A. STOKKINK,
Manager.
Hong Kong, 12th May, 1931. [30

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	Hong Kong Currency.
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL	$11,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	8,665,600
RESERVE FUND	1,100,000

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Reserve Fund	£4,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	£3,000,000

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AMRITSAR
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FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.

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J. STUART,
Manager.
Hong Kong, August 17, 1931. [30

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HEAD OFFICE:
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	Frs.
Capital, fully paid-up	50,000,000
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Reserves	22,319,000

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A. ROLLIN,
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Subscribed Capital	$25,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$24,710,200.00
Reserve Funds	$3,820,503.82

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Authorised Capital	Straits	$20,000,000
Issued	,,	$8,000,000
Paid-up	,,	$4,000,000
Reserve Liabilities of Shareholders	,,	$4,000,000
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Authorized Capital	£3,000,000
Subscribed Capital	£1,800,000
Paid-up Capital	£1,050,000
Reserve Fund and Rest	£1,666,845

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C. L. SANDES,
Manager.
7, Queen's Road Central,
Hong Kong, 29th April, 1931. [22

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Capital (fully paid up)	Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund	Yen 116,200,000

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Tientsin
Tokyo
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts.

Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

H. MORI, Manager.
Hong Kong, Sept. 11, 1931. [35

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.

ESTABLISHED 1918.

HEAD OFFICE:
10 Des Voeux Road, Central,
HONG KONG.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS	OVER H. $8,000,000.00
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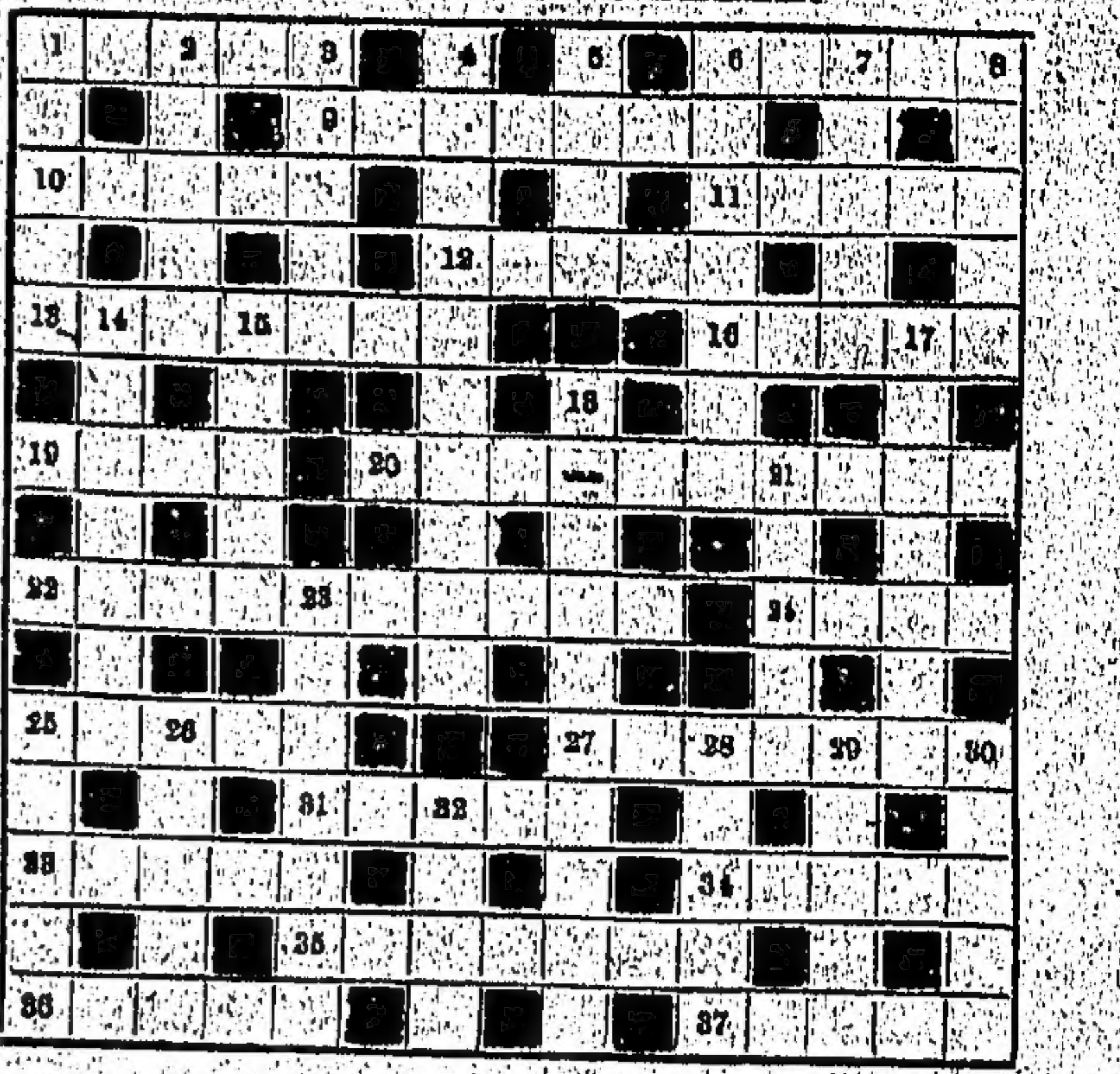

CLUES.

Across.

1.—No one can make this silk with profit.
6.—Tolerate one of Goldilock's friends.
9.—Requiring, a baker's job, so we hear.
10.—The greatest river in Africa.
11.—This rubber may wipe out the score.
12.—Send this back, there's time that way.
13.—A movable form, of which part may be let. The rest is simple.
16.—Danes inhabit these mountains.
19.—Secondhand.
20.—Shivering (?, and no wonder when one has to sing about the milky part of a cow with aspiration).
22.—This foreigner is a dog—
24.—and this one a sacred building when—
25.—this.
27.—Locks to which there are no keys.
31.—This painful affliction may become theatrical.
33.—River associated with a time-recorder.
34.—Scent.
35.—Silly smiles, as hear the beginning of impertinence.
36. This is the way to get to the top of it.
37.—French pupil, quite young, not eleven.

Down.

1.—Face this before tea and see it make your engagement ring sparkle.
2.—Gives weight to any announcement.
3.—Suitable appurtenance for a Nosey Parker.
4.—One of Mr. Lloyd George's "Fruity" adjectives.
5.—Skin much in favour among photographers.
6.—"I get, at a" low estimate, excited half a dozen times a day (anag.).
7.—"All was—now, the hope, and the fear, and the sorrow."—"Evangeline."
8.—Loud, deep noises.
14.—The first part will it the weary.
15.—Try side foremost, though it is, to a great extent, of no importance.
17.—Confer a title upon.
18.—Deuce and one up make one of these at Wimbledon.
21.—Your ways are plain here.
23.—Of a pillar-box, a cherry, and a Stuart tartan, the pillar-box is it.
25.—Exclusive retreat.
26.—A stamp allows this farewell to be made.
28.—Obliterate.
29.—What caused Goliath's downfall?
30.—Then why flourish a key at such a serious herald? (hidden).
32.—Always given at the end of the Psalms.

The solution will be published to-morrow.

SATURDAY'S SOLUTION.

S	T	A	B	L	E	S	■	B	A	T	T	L	E	S
T	■	M	■	A	■	A	■	O	■	I	■	E	■	A
R	O	A	S	T	E	D	■	T	O	R	R	E	N	T
E	■	T	■	E	■	D	O	T	■	E	■	E	■	I
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C	■	A	■	S	E	R	V	A	N	T	■	L	■	U
R	A	N	T	■	S	H	A	R	D	■	D	A	M	P
A	■	K	■	T	■	O	L	D	■	L	■	S	■	P
P	I	L	G	R	I	M	■	E	X	A	M	P	L	E
E	■	E	■	U	■	B	■	N	■	I	■	E	■	E
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